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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS.

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET - MONDAY - APRIL 1, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**1,300	**1,500	*10,000	1,600
CHICAGO	11,000	4,000	32,000	10,000
KANSAS CITY	9,000	1,200	10,000	7,000
OMAHA	5,000	500	6,500	14,000
ST. JOSEPH	1,900	300	2,500	6,500
ST. PAUL	4,000	1,800	11,000	3,500
SIOUX CITY	3,000	200	3,000	3,500
CINCINNATI	1,100	400	3,400	50
INDIANAPOLIS	500	300	3,000	100
PITTSBURGH	500	850	4,500	3,000
BUFFALO	1,500	1,400	9,225	4,400
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	38,800	12,450	95,125	53,650
ONE WEEK AGO	63,965	13,500	148,660	55,175
ONE YEAR AGO	47,900	12,800	151,700	45,875

**INCLUDES 325 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. *TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 500 THROUGH AND 500 DIRECT; CHICAGO 12,000 DIRECT; KANSAS CITY 1,200 DIRECT; OMAHA 1,800 DIRECT; ST. JOSEPH 300 THROUGH AND DIRECT; SIOUX CITY 200 DIRECT.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES - SATURDAY - MARCH 30, '29.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	84	80	4,218	210
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	105	1	4,355	202
PACKER PURCHASES	26	9	1,278	---

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET - MONDAY - APRIL 1, 1929.
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P.M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 1,300 TODAY, AS AGAINST ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 2755 LAST MONDAY, AND TOTAL UNLOADINGS OF 2170 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

LIGHT RECEIPTS IN THE AGGREGATE AND THE TERMINATION OF THE LENTEN SEASON, WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ADVANCE IN PRICES ON THE MAJOR KILLING CLASSES, BOTH LOCALLY AND AT MOST OF THE OUTSIDE MARKETS. ON THE LOCAL MARKET SUPPLIES OF ALL CLASSES, VEALERS EXCEPTED, WAS EXCEPTIONALLY LIGHT. UNDER A VERY GOOD DEMAND FROM ALL INTERESTS, TRADING WAS ACTIVE AND IN GENERAL ON A 15 TO MOSTLY 25¢ HIGHER BASIS, WITH SPOTS IN THE TRADE ESPECIALLY ON MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS APPEARING EVEN HIGHER. THE QUALITY IN THE STEER DIVISION WAS VERY PLAIN ON THE WHOLE, BEING COMPRISED ALMOST ENTIRELY OF "YELLOWHAMMERS" IN A COMMON MEDIUM FLESH CONDITION. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS EXCHANGED HANDS READILY, THERE BEING ONLY ODD LOTS REPRESENTED FOR THE BUYERS TO WORK ON. THE SMALL SUPPLY OF COWS AND ALL CUTTERS TURNED ACTIVELY AT GENERALLY 25¢ HIGHER FIGURES. MEDIUM BULLS WERE NOT OFFERED IN SUFFICIENT QUANTITIES TO SATIATE THE HUNGRY DEMAND AND CONSEQUENTLY PRICES ROSE, IT BEING NECESSARY, HOWEVER, IN THE ABSENCE OF BEST KINDS TO QUOTE THESE NOMINALLY. IT HAS BEEN A TALKING POINT ON THE PART OF BUYERS OF VEALERS FOR SOME TIME THAT THESE HAVE BEEN TOO "HIGH" AND HAVE BEEN LOSING MONEY FOR THE PURCHASERS RIGHT ALONG. A GENERALLY 50¢ DECLINE WAS IN FORCE AGAIN TODAY IN ADDITION TO THE $2.00 COMPOSITE DROP OF LAST WEEK.

THE BEST LOAD OF STEERS HERE TODAY AVERAGED 1252-LBS. AND CASHED AT $12.65, WITH TWO CARS OF LIGHT STEERS AVERAGING 1019-LBS. AT $12.50. THE REST OF THE OFFERINGS, MOSTLY SOUTHERN-BRED MATERIAL, TURNED LARGELY FROM $10.50 TO $11.85, A THREE CAR STRING OF LOUISIANAS AT THE INSIDE FIGURE. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS IN ODD LOTS CLEARED LARGELY AT $11.50 TO $13.25, WHILE MOST OF THE COWS WERE CONFINED TO THE $8.50 TO $9.50 LIMITS. A FEW LOW CUTTERS RANGED FROM $5.75 TO $6.50, WITH BEST MEDIUM BULLS QUOTABLE NOMINALLY AT $9.50 DOWN, SOME REPRESENTATIVE SALES $9.00 TO $9.40, WITH A FEW ON THE BUTCHER ORDER UPWARD FROM $9.75. GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS TOPPED AT $14.50, SOME PLAINER TOPPY KINDS $14.25.

HOGS: LIGHT RECEIPTS AROUND THE MARKET CIRCUIT ASSISTED SELLERS IN OBTAINING HIGHER PRICES FOR HOGS THOUGH DRESSED PORK AT EASTERN CENTERS CONTINUED TO MOVE SLOWLY AT PRICES UNDER THOSE OF A WEEK AGO. LOCAL RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 10,000HEAD COMPARED WITH 16,401 LAST MONDAY AND 16,718 A YEAR AGO. TOTAL AT ELEVEN MARKETS WAS 50 PER CENT LESS THAN LAST MONDAY'S TOTAL. SHIPPERS AND BUTCHERS OPENED TRADE TODAY AT AN ADVANCE OF 20 TO 25¢ OVER SATURDAY'S AVERAGE PRICES WHILE LATER TRADE WAS ON ACCOUNT OF ALL INTERESTS 25 TO 30¢ HIGHER. A LARGE NUMBER OF LOW GRADE SOUTHERN PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS WERE ON SALE WHICH SLOWED UP THE MARKET ON THESE WEIGHTS AND PRICES RANGED FROM STEADY TO AS MUCH AS 25¢ UP. TRADE CLOSED ACTIVE ON ALL WEIGHTS WITH A GOOD CLEARANCE EFFECTED.

PRACTICALLY ALL HOGS SCALING FROM 160 TO 250-LBS. PASSED THROUGH THE NARROW SPREAD OF $11.75 TO $11.85 WITH ONE LOAD OF CHOICE AROUND 200-LB. AVERAGES FURNISHING A TOP AT $11.90. WEIGHTIER HOGS WERE SCARCE. A FEW LOADS OF 270 TO 290-LB. BUTCHERS MOVED AT $11.65 WITH A LOAD WITHIN THIS WEIGHT SPREAD BUT OF LESS DESIRABLE QUALITY AT $11.60. MAJORITY OF 130 TO 150-LB. LIGHT LIGHTS CLEARED AT $10.25 TO $11.50, ODD LOTS HIGHER. PIGS SCALING 130-LBS. DOWN WERE MOST NUMEROUS AT $9.00 TO $10.50, OCCASIONAL LOTS OF PLAIN QUALITY LIGHT PIGS DOWN TO AS LOW AS $8.00. PACKING SOWS RULED 15 TO 25¢ HIGHER, PRACTICALLY ALL OF THIS CLASS GOING AT $10.35 TO $10.50 WITH $10.40 THE MOST POPULAR FIGURE.

SHEEP: THE SHEEP AND LAMB RUN TODAY WAS ESTIMATED AT 1,600 HEAD THE MAJORITY OF WHICH WERE ON THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLING, LEAVING ONLY A FEW DECKS ON SALE. THE RUN LAST MONDAY TOTALED 1732 HEAD AND A YEAR AGO 1348 HEAD. SALABLE SUPPLIES CONSISTED OF ABOUT THREE DECKS OF GOOD TO CHOICE CLIPPED LAMBS, ABOUT A DECK OF CLIPPED YEARLINGS AND TWO-YEAR OLD WETHERS AND A FEW ODD LOTS OF SHEEP. PRACTICALLY NO WOOLED LAMBS AND NO SPRING LAMBS WERE OFFERED. FAT LAMB AND YEARLING TRADE WAS QUOTED STEADY TO 25¢ HIGHER, SHEEP UNCHANGED FROM THE CLOSE OF LAST WEEK. A DOUBLE-DECK OF CLIPPED LAMBS AVERAGING 88-LBS. WENT TO A PACKER AT $15.60 AND A DECK OF 76-LB. WEIGHTS WENT ALSO ON PACKING ACCOUNT AT $15.75. THE YEARLINGS CONSISTED OF 66 HEAD SCALING 93-LBS. AND WENT TO PACKERS AT $13.50, THE TWO-YEAR OLD WETHERS AVERAGING 100-LBS. AND EARNING $12.50. ODD LOTS OF FAT WOOLED EWES SOLD AT $10.50 DOWNWARD ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY.

OMAHA MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE; SLAUGHTER STEERS AND SHE STOCK ACTIVE, STRONG TO AROUND 25¢ HIGHER WITH SPOTS UP MORE, EXTREMES 50¢ HIGHER; BULLS STRONG; VEALS STEADY; STOCKER AND FEEDERS ACTIVE, STRONG; FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.25 TO $13.25; FEW HEAD LIGHT STEERS $13.75; FEW LOADS LIGHT MIXED BREEDS MOSTLY HOLSTEINS $11.75; HEIFERS $11.25 TO $12.75; BULK BEEF COWS $8.00 TO $9.75; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.00 TO $7.25; MEDIUM BULLS $8.75 TO $9.00; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $14.00; STOCKER AND FEEDER STEERS $11.25 TO $13.00; STOCK CALVES AROUND 475-LBS. $14.10.

HOGS: ACTIVE 25 TO 35¢ HIGHER; TOP $11.50 ON 190-260-LBS; 190 TO 350-LBS. $11.35 TO $11.50; 160 TO 190-LB. LIGHTS $11.00 TO $11.40; PACKING SOWS $10.50 TO $10.60, SMOOTH GRADES UPWARD TO $10.75; FEEDER PIGS $10.25 TO $10.50.

SHEEP: LAMBS OPENING 15 TO 25¢ HIGHER; SHEEP STEADY; SHEARING LAMBS STRONG TO HIGHER; EARLY SALES FED WOOLED LAMBS TO PACKERS $16.50 TO $16.75; EARLY SHIPPER TOP $17.00, SOME HELD ABOVE; FAT EWES $10.50 DOWN; SHEARING LAMBS $16.00 TO $16.40, SOME HELD ABOVE.

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-:Daily Livestock Market Conditions and Quotations, Monday, April 1, 1929:-

Chicago Market 10:30 A. M.

Cattle:- Fed steers and yearlings unevenly 25 to 50¢ higher; all grades sharing upturn, but better grades most uniformly higher; active at advance; stockers and feeders 25¢ higher; all grades light and medium weight heifers sharing yearling upturn, but fat cows only steady to strong, with big packers holding back; bulls 10 to 15¢ lower; light vealers weak, good to choice weightier kinds steady; early top weighty steers $14.40, several loads $13.50 to $14.00; best yearlings $14.10, several loads mixed offerings $13.50 to $14.00; stockers and feeders mostly $11.00 to $12.00, qualitied light kinds up to $12.50 and better; practical top heavy sausage bulls $9.35, mostly $8.50 to $9.00, with cuttery light kinds below $8.00; light vealers $10.00 to $11.50, desirable 120 to 130-lb. offerings $12.00 to $13.00; practical top on shippers, only a sprinkling making $14.50 and better.

Hogs:- Mostly 25 to 30¢ higher than Saturday; all interests buying; top $11.85 paid for a number of loads of 170 to 210-lb. weights; bulk of good and choice 170 to 220-lb. averages $11.70 to $11.85; 230 to 310-lb. averages $11.60 to $11.75; around 340-lb. weights at $11.55; choice light lights and pigs showing the advance, lower grade kinds slow, about steady; bulk of better grade 140 to 160-lb. weights $11.00 to $11.75; pigs mostly $9.50 to $10.50, choice softs up to $11.00; bulk packing sows $10.40 to $10.60, smooth softs up to $10.75.

Sheep:- Opening slow; few early sales and bids strong to 25¢ higher; several loads good to choice 82 to 85-lb. lambs and few unfinished lighter weights $17.00 to $17.10; few loads choice sorted kinds to outsiders $17.25, best closely sorted kinds held above $17.50; ~~few native throwouts $13.50 to $15.25; choice 85-lb. clipped~~ lambs $16.25; sheep scarce, quotable steady; little done on feeding lambs.

Kansas City Market 11:00 A. M.

Cattle:- Fed steers, yearlings, fat she stock and bulls opening strong to 25¢ higher; good sized quota light weight steers offered; weighty steers scarce; low grade cows steady; vealers weak to 50¢ lower; weighty calves unchanged; stockers and feeders steady to strong, spots higher on stockers; bulk fed steers early $11.75 to $13.00; choice heavy steers $13.35; fat light yearlings mostly $11.50 to $13.00; one load mixed yearlings $13.50; butcher cows $9.00 to $9.50; medium bulls $8.25 to $9.00; vealers mostly $13.00 down; weighty calves upward to $12.50; bulk stockers and feeders $11.25 to $13.25; choice stockers held higher.

Hogs:- Active, mostly 25 to 30¢ higher than Saturday's average; stock pigs strong; top $11.55 on 200 to 230-lbs. weights; bulk desirable 180 to 325-lbs. $11.25 to $11.50; 140 to 170-lbs. $10.25 to $11.40; packing sows $9.50 to $10.50; stock pigs $9.50 to $10.65.

Sheep:- Clipped lambs steady to 25¢ lower, mostly steady; no wooled lambs sold early; sheep steady; top shorn lambs $15.35, others $15.00 to $15.25; best woolskins held at $16.75; Texas spring lambs $17.50.

Hogs:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)			Nat'l. Stk. Yds. Close	Chicago 10:30 A.M.	Kansas City 11:00 A. M.	Omaha 11:00 A. M.
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$11.45-11.80	$11.40-11.75	$10.75-11.40	$11.00-11.50
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	11.60-11.90	11.40-11.85	10.85-11.55	11.15-11.50
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	11.50-11.90	11.00-11.85	10.75-11.55	10.65-11.50
Lt. Lts.	(130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.00-11.85	10.00-11.80	10.25-11.35	10.25-11.35
Packing sows, smooth and rough			10.10-10.60	10.35-10.75	9.50-10.50	10.25-10.75
Slaughter Pigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.50	9.00-11.00	9.25-10.65	-----------
Fdr & Stkr. Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	8.00-10.50	-----------	9.25-10.65	9.50-10.50
Av. Cost & Wt. Sat.	(Pigs Exc)		11.38-221#	11.23-240#	10.91-241#	10.98-246#
Av. Cost & Wt. Week.	(Pigs Exc)		11.14-202#	11.36-243#	11.05-244#	11.07-252#
Av. Cost & Wt. March	(Pigs Exc)		11.25-205#	11.44-238#	11.01-244#	11.04-252#
Slaughter Cattle, Calves and Vealers:-						
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	-----------	12.25-14.25	-----------	-----------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	12.75-13.50	13.75-14.50	12.75-13.75	12.75-13.75
		Good	12.00-12.75	12.75-13.75	12.00-12.75	11.75-12.75
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.00-14.00	13.75-14.50	12.75-14.25	13.00-14.00
		Good	12.25-13.25	12.75-13.75	12.25-13.25	12.25-13.25
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	13.50-14.25	13.75-14.75	13.25-14.25	13.25-14.25
		Good	12.75-13.75	13.00-14.00	12.25-13.50	12.75-13.50
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	11.50-12.75	11.50-13.00	11.25-12.25	11.50-12.75
		Common	9.50-11.75	9.50-11.75	9.50-11.25	9.00-11.50
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)		Choice	13.50-14.50	14.00-15.00	13.50-14.50	13.50-14.50
		Good	12.75-13.75	13.00-14.00	12.25-13.50	12.75-13.75
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.00	12.25-13.75	12.50-13.50
		Good	12.00-13.00	12.25-13.25	11.25-12.75	11.75-12.50
		Com-Med	8.50-12.00	9.00-12.25	8.00-11.50	8.25-11.75
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	11.25-13.00	11.00-13.75	11.00-13.00	11.00-12.75
		Good	10.00-12.75	10.25-13.25	10.00-12.00	9.75-11.75
		Medium	9.00-11.50	9.50-12.25	8.50-11.25	8.50-11.25
Cows:		Choice	10.00-10.75	9.75-10.50	10.00-11.00	10.00-11.00
		Good	9.25-10.00	8.50- 9.75	9.00-10.00	9.00-10.00
		Com-Med	7.75- 9.25	7.00- 8.50	7.25- 9.00	7.25- 9.00
		Low Cut-Cut	5.50- 7.75	6.00- 7.00	5.25- 7.25	5.75- 7.25
Bulls:	(Ylg. Exc. Beef.)	Gd-Ch	9.50-10.50	9.35-10.50	9.00-10.00	9.00-10.00
		Cut-Med	7.25- 9.50	7.75- 9.35	7.00- 9.00	7.25- 9.00
Calves:	(500# dn)	Med-Ch	9.50-12.50	9.00-11.50	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.50
		Cull-Com	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.00	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.50
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	13.00-14.50	10.50-15.00	10.50-13.50	12.00-14.50
		Medium	10.50-13.00	9.50-10.50	9.00-10.50	11.00-12.00
		Cull-Com	6.00-10.50	7.00- 9.50	6.00- 9.00	6.00-11.00
Feeder and Stocker Cattle and Calves:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	11.50-12.75	11.75-13.25
		Com-Med	9.00-11.50	9.50-11.75	9.25-11.75	9.25-11.75
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.75	12.00-13.75
		Com-Med	8.50-11.50	9.75-11.50	9.00-11.75	9.00-12.00
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	10.50-11.50	9.25-11.00	9.75-11.25	9.50-11.00
		Com-Med	8.50-10.50	8.25- 9.25	7.50- 9.75	7.75- 9.50
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.00- 9.00	7.50- 8.25	7.75- 8.75	7.50- 8.75
		Com-Med	7.00- 8.00	7.25- 7.50	6.75- 7.75	6.25- 7.50
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	-----------	-----------	12.00-14.00	11.25-14.00
		Medium	-----------	-----------	10.00-12.00	8.75-11.25
Slaughter Sheep and Lambs:-			Quotations on		Wooled Basis.	
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	16.25-17.25	16.40-17.65	15.50-16.60	16.25-17.00
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	16.25-17.25	16.25-17.50	15.50-16.60	16.00-17.00
	(92# dn)	Medium	14.50-16.25	15.50-16.40	14.50-15.50	15.25-16.25
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	-----------	15.40-17.25	14.50-16.40	15.25-16.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	10.75-14.50	11.75-15.50	10.00-14.50	11.25-13.25
Yearling Wethers	(110# dn)	Med-Ch	10.50-14.25	11.50-15.50	10.50-14.50	11.00-14.75
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	8.75-10.50	9.00-11.25	8.50-10.50	8.50-11.00
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.25	8.75-11.00	8.25-10.25	8.25-10.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	4.25- 8.75	4.00- 9.00	4.00- 8.50	4.00- 8.50
Feeding Sheep and Lambs:-						
Feeding Lambs	(Range Stk.)	Gd-Ch	-----------	14.75-16.50	-----------	14.50-16.25
		Medium	-----------	13.00-14.75	-----------	13.00-14.50

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DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET - TUESDAY - APRIL 2, 1929

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
National Stock Yards	** 2,400	** 1,200	11,500	750
Chicago	4,500	2,000	13,000	10,000
Kansas City	5,500	500	3,000	8,000
Omaha	4,500	300	11,000	14,000
St. Joseph	1,200	200	3,500	8,500
St. Paul	2,300	2,200	6,000	300
Sioux City	2,200	100	11,500	5,000
Cincinnati	225	400	5,200	7,500
Indianapolis	1,200	700	7,000	200
Pittsburgh	25	50	600	850
Buffalo	100	250	650	300
Total 11 Markets	24,150	7,900	77,950	55,400
One week ago	35,350	10,750	89,600	47,950
One year ago	30,475	11,110	97,500	45,975
To date this week	62,950	20,350	173,075	109,050
Same period last week	69,315	24,250	233,260	103,125
Same period last year	78,375	23,910	249,200	91,850

** Includes 450 cattle and calves on through billing. Today's estimated hog receipts include estimated unloads of through and direct billed hogs as follows: Nat'l Stock Yards 1,000 through; Chicago 1,000; Kansas City 750; Omaha 1,300; St. Joseph 200; St. Paul 100; Sioux City 400.

NAT'L STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES - MONDAY - APRIL 1, 1929

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Actual receipts	1,417	1,457	10,877	1,435
Total shipments	223	313	4,370	520
Packer purchases	799	1,211	3,409	1,027

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET - TUESDAY - APRIL 2, 1929
(Based on market conditions and sales reported up to 1:30 P.M.)

CATTLE: Receipts of cattle were estimated at 2500 today, as against actual totals of 3175 last Tuesday, and unloadings numbering 2963 the corresponding day last year.

A good lively trade on all classes was the feature in the cattle division, steers leading the procession by commencing the scaleward movement shortly after the opening hour. Further advances in price over yesterday were apparent although there was some unevenness present as usually is the case on such a spirited market. However, summing up the situation over a two day period, in general steers, mixed yearlings, heifers, butcher cows and all cutters are 25 to 50¢ higher, all but the latter class leaning mostly toward the high end of the trend. Medium bulls were scarce but held to a steady basis, while vealers regained all of Monday's decline, being quotable 50¢ above the average deal yesterday. Steers were offered in only moderate supply and in quality these fell short of measuring up to the average Tuesday standard. Mixed yearlings and heifers were more numerous than the scant numbers of yesterday and met with a healthy demand from city butcher purchasers, but packer buyers hung back to some extent, being reluctant to a further advance. From all appearances there were not enough cows and cutter material to go around and a lively competition followed while it lasted.

Two cars of good 1111-lb. steers, together with a short load of considerably heavier medium weights cashed at $13.00, which was the top on load lots, but small lots of lightweight steers earned $13.25 and $13.50, some choice individuals on the yearling order reaching $14.50. Mixed yearlings and heifers were confined largely to a spread of $11.50 to $13.25, a few small lots upward to $13.75. Individual cows registered $10.50 to $11.00, with the bulk $8.50 to $9.75, while very few lightweight low cutters sold below $6.00, largely $6.00 to $6.50 and cutters upward to $7.75 or better. Medium bulls cleared in limited numbers at $9.50 and down, with weighty fat butcher bulls going from $9.50 to $10.50. Good and choice vealers went largely on shipper account at $15.00.

HOGS:- While lighter receipts assisted sellers in boosting prices on early rounds, the influence of a weak draggy dressed pork trade at Eastern centers and curtailed shipping outlet made itself felt, and most of the advance was lost at the close. Early sales were made to shippers and butchers at an advance of 15 to 20¢ over yesterday's average with pigs and light lights strong to 25¢ up. When immediate orders had been filled a lull occurred and after midsession all interests were buying about in line with Monday's transactions though the general average late was a shade better than yesterday. Pigs maintained the advance throughout. Local receipts were estimated at 11,500 including 1000 billed through, compared with actual supplies of 13,794 last Tuesday and 15,129 a year ago.

Popular price on early rounds was $12.00 with only an occasional load and part load of choice lightweights earning a top of $12.05. Bulk of 180 to 250-lb. weights cleared at $11.90 to $12.00, most of the better grades selling on this basis. After the declines had been effected a spread of $11.75 to $11.85 took most 160 to 280-lb. descriptions, only a load or two of choice 190 to 200-lb. weights being able to score the closing top of $11.90. A few loads of heavy butchers somewhat lacking in quality sold late at prices ranging downward from $11.65. Majority of 130 to 150-lb. light lights realized $10.50 to $11.50 with early sales including a liberal number of one fifties up to $11.75. Pigs scaling 130 pounds down moved mostly at $9.00 to $10.50. Bulk of packing sows crossed the scales at $10.40 to $10.50, several lots early up to $10.60.

SHEEP:- Receipts of sheep and lambs today were estimated at 750 head compared with actual marketings of 1654 last Tuesday and 1315 a year ago. Salable supplies were light, these consisting principally of a deck of choice clipped lambs and several odd lots of sheep and lambs. Demand was active on the part of packers and lamb trade advanced a full 25¢. Sheep were in light supply and remained unchanged. City butchers paid up to $17.00 for odd lots of good wooled lambs while a packer paid $16.25 for a deck of choice 82-lb. clipped lambs. Fat wooled ewes are quotable at $10.50 down. A small lot of 118-lb. clipped ewes earned $9.50. No yearlings were offered but in line with the lamb trade were quotable strong.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- Slaughter steers and she stock active, 25 to 50¢ higher; bulls strong to 25¢ higher; vealers strong to 50¢ higher; stockers and feeders scarce, fully steady; bulk fed steers and yearlings $12.50 to $13.50, several loads, including weighty steers, up to $14.00; medium weights $14.15; light steers $14.25 and $14.35, some held higher; heifers mostly $11.75 to $13.25, around 700-lb. weights $13.50 to $13.75; bulk beef cows $8.00 to $10.00; all cutters $6.00 to $7.50; medium bulls $8.75 to $9.25; practical top veals $14.50, odd head to independents $15.00.

HOGS:- Slow; opened fully 10¢ higher to shippers; now steady to all interests; top $11.60 on 210 to 250-lb. butchers; bulk 180 to 350-lb. averages $11.35 to $11.60; mostly $11.35 and $11.40 to packers; 150 to 180-lb. selections $11.00 to $11.40; packing sows $10.50 to $10.75; feeder pigs $10.25 to $10.50.

SHEEP:- Lambs opened weak to 25¢ lower, later bids 25 to 40¢ lower; sheep steady; shearing lambs strong; early sales fed wooled lambs $16.50 to $16.60 to packers; top to yard traders $17.10 for 2 cars 85-lb. average; fat ewes downward from $10.75; shearing lambs upward to $16.60.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, TUESDAY, APRIL 2, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- Fed steers and yearlings, light weight fat cows and all grades butcher heifers unevenly higher, mostly 25¢ up; spots considerably more; stockers and feeders scarce, firm to 25¢ higher; bulls steady; vealers mostly 50¢ higher; medium weight Nebraska fed steers $14.30, several loads medium weight and weighty offerings $14.00 to $14.40; best yearlings $14.25; light mixed offerings $14.00; practically all steers and yearlings cleaned up on early rounds; general run fat cows and cutters firm to 25¢ higher; light vealers largely $11.50 to $12.50, few lots $13.00, shippers up to $15.00.

HOGS:- Mostly 20 to 30¢ higher than Monday's average; packing sows 10 to 20¢ higher; top $12.15 paid for an occasional load of 190 to 210-lb. weights; bulk of good and choice hogs scaling from 160 to 230-lbs. $11.95 to $12.10; medium quality 160-lb. weights down to $11.25; bulk of better grade 240 to 320-lb. weights $11.80 to $12.00; desirable 130 to 150-lb. averages mostly $11.00 to $11.75; pigs mostly $9.75 to $10.75; choice 130-lb. averages at $11.25; bulk packing sows $10.60 to $10.85; few light weights up to $11.00.

SHEEP:- Very slow; few early sales clipped lambs weak to 25¢ lower; few bids on woolskins around 25¢ lower; best held steady with Monday's average; few good to choice 83 to 89-lb. clipped lambs $15.50 to $16.00, choice light load $16.35; choice woolskins held around $17.50; big packers talking $16.75 to $17.25 on good to choice handyweights; few throwouts $14.00 to $15.00; very few fat ewes here, few good light weights $10.00; feeding and shearing lambs very scarce, quotable steady.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- Fed steers and yearlings fairly active, strong to mostly 25¢ higher; light yearlings and fat she stock steady to 25¢ higher; bulls and low grade cows steady; vealers and calves little changed; stockers and feeders scarce, firm; early top medium weight steers $13.90; four loads choice 1354 to 1366-lb. steers $13.75; bulk desirable fed steers and yearlings selling upward from $12.25; fed dogies $11.75; fat light yearlings mostly $12.00 to $13.25; choice yearling heifers $13.75; bulk butcher cows $8.00 to $9.75; choice heavy cows upward to $10.50; all cutters $5.50 to $7.25; medium bulls $8.25 to $9.00; vealers mostly $13.00 down; few stockers and feeders $11.50 to $13.25; choice stock steer calves upward to $14.00.

HOGS:- Opened active, 15 to 25¢ higher; now very slow; bidding around 10 to 20¢ below early; early top $11.80 on 200 to 210-lbs.; bulk early sales 170 to 250-lbs. $11.50 to $11.75; 260 to 310-lbs. $11.30 to $11.60; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.45 to $11.50; packing sows $9.75 to $10.75; stock pigs steady, $9.50 to $10.65.

SHEEP:- Wooled lambs extremely dull; very little done; most bids unevenly lower; one load 93-lb. weights $16.25; few clipped lambs early $15.25, around steady; aged sheep scarce, steady.

HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$11.50-11.85	$11.50-12.00	$11.00-11.65	$11.00-11.60
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	11.60-11.90	11.50-12.15	11.00-11.80	11.15-11.60
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	11.50-11.90	11.25-12.15	11.00-11.75	10.65-11.55
Lt. Lts.	(130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.25-11.85	10.25-12.10	10.40-11.50	10.25-11.35
Packing sows, smooth and rough			10.10-10.60	10.35-11.00	9.75-10.75	10.25-10.85
SlaughterPigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	8.50-10.75	9.25-11.25	9.25-10.65	----------
Fdr &Stkr.Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	8.00-10.75	----------	9.25-10.65	9.50-10.50
Av. Cost & Wt. Mon. (Pigs Exc)			11.19-190#	11.64-241#	11.27-239#	11.33-239#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	----------	12.40-14.50	----------	----------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.00-13.75	14.00-14.75	13.00-14.00	13.00-14.00
		Good	12.25-13.00	13.00-14.00	12.25-13.00	12.25-13.00
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.25-14.25	14.00-14.75	13.00-14.25	13.25-14.50
		Good	12.50-13.50	13.00-14.00	12.50-13.50	12.50-13.50
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	13.75-14.50	14.00-15.00	13.50-14.50	13.50-14.75
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.25	12.50-13.75	13.00-13.75
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	11.75-13.00	11.75-13.25	11.50-12.50	11.75-13.00
		Common	9.50-12.00	9.50-12.00	9.50-11.50	9.25-11.75
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)		Choice	13.75-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.25	12.50-13.75	13.00-13.75
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	13.25-14.25	13.50-14.25	12.50-14.00	12.75-13.75
		Good	12.25-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.50-13.00	12.00-12.75
		Com-Med	8.75-12.25	9.00-12.50	8.25-11.75	8.50-12.00
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	11.25-13.25	11.25-14.00	11.25-13.00	11.25-13.25
		Good	10.25-12.75	10.50-13.50	10.00-12.25	10.00-12.25
		Medium	9.00-11.75	9.75-12.50	8.50-11.50	8.75-11.50
Cows:		Choice	10.25-11.00	10.25-11.00	10.00-11.00	10.25-11.00
		Good	9.50-10.25	8.75-10.25	9.00-10.00	9.25-10.25
		Com-Med	8.00- 9.50	7.50- 8.75	7.25- 9.00	7.50- 9.25
		LowCut- Cut	5.75- 8.00	6.25- 7.50	5.25- 7.25	6.00- 7.50
Bulls:	(Ylg.Exc.Beef.)	Gd-Ch	9.50-10.50	9.35-10.50	9.00-10.00	9.25-10.25
		Cut-Med	7.50- 9.50	7.75- 9.35	7.00- 9.00	7.50- 9.25
Calves:	(500# dn)	Med-Ch	9.50-12.50	9.00-11.50	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.50
		Cull-Com	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.00	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.50
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	13.50-15.00	11.00-15.00	10.50-13.50	12.50-15.00
		Medium	11.00-13.50	10.00-11.00	9.00-10.50	11.00-12.50
		Cull-Com	6.00-11.00	7.00-10.00	6.00- 9.00	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	11.50-12.75	11.75-13.25
		Com-Med	9.00-11.50	9.50-11.75	9.25-11.75	9.25-11.75
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.75	12.00-13.75
		Com-Med	8.50-11.50	9.75-11.50	9.00-11.75	9.00-12.00
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	10.50-11.50	9.25-11.00	9.75-11.25	9.50-11.00
		Com-Med	8.50-10.50	8.25- 9.25	7.50- 9.75	7.75- 9.50
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.00- 9.00	7.50- 8.25	7.75- 8.75	7.50- 8.75
		Com-Med	7.00- 8.00	7.25- 7.50	6.75- 7.75	6.25- 7.50
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	----------	----------	12.00-14.00	11.25-14.00
		Medium	----------	----------	10.00-12.00	8.75-11.25
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-				QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.		
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	16.50-17.50	16.50-17.60	15.50-16.60	16.00-17.10
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	16.50-17.50	16.35-17.60	15.50-16.60	15.75-17.10
	(92# dn)	Medium	14.75-16.50	15.75-16.50	14.50-15.50	15.00-16.00
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	----------	15.50-17.25	14.50-16.40	15.00-16.50
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	11.00-14.75	12.00-15.75	10.00-14.50	11.00-15.00
Yearling Wethers	(110#dn)	Med-Ch	10.50-14.50	11.50-15.50	10.50-14.50	11.00-14.75
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	8.75-10.50	9.00-11.25	8.50-10.50	8.50-11.00
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.25	8.75-11.00	8.25-10.25	8.25-10.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	4.25- 8.75	4.00- 9.00	4.00- 8.50	4.00- 8.50
FEEDING SHEEP AND LAMBS:-						
Feeding Lambs	(Range Stk.)	Gd-Ch	----------	15.00-16.75	----------	14.50-16.25
		Medium	----------	13.25-15.00	----------	13.00-14.50

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DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET - WEDNESDAY - APRIL 3, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	** 2,200	** 1,500	13,500	1,000
CHICAGO	7,000	2,500	14,000	15,000
KANSAS CITY	6,000	500	13,000	8,000
OMAHA	7,000	500	15,000	11,000
ST. JOSEPH	1,800	300	6,000	4,000
ST. PAUL	2,800	3,700	12,000	500
SIOUX CITY	3,500	100	12,000	1,000
CINCINNATI	250	450	2,600	150
INDIANAPOLIS	1,700	800	9,000	300
PITTSBURGH	25	150	2,000	1,000
BUFFALO	75	100	1,760	400
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	32,350	10,600	100,860	42,350
ONE WEEK AGO	29,075	11,150	78,740	33,800
ONE YEAR AGO	24,750	10,525	99,700	37,600
TO DATE THIS WEEK	95,300	30,950	273,935	150,400
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	128,390	35,400	317,000	136,925
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	103,125	34,435	348,900	129,450

** INCLUDES 450 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NAT'L STOCK YARDS NONE; CHICAGO 3,000; OMAHA 1,300; KANSAS CITY 180; ST. PAUL 150; SIOUX CITY 1,900.

NAT'L STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES - TUESDAY - APR. 2, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	2,220	1,274	12,715	513
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	513	640	5,454	---
PACKER PURCHASES	1,533	565	5,853	383

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET - WEDNESDAY - APRIL 3, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:30 P.M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 2200 TODAY, AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 2053 LAST WEDNESDAY, AND A TOTAL OF 2135 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

ANOTHER ACTIVE MARKET FEATURED THE TRADE ON THE MODERATE SUPPLY OF STEERS AND A COMPLETE CLEARANCE WAS EFFECTED CONSIDERABLY BEFORE THE NOON HOUR. ON THE WHOLE QUALITY AND CONDITION WERE VERY MUCH IMPROVED AND NUMEROUS LOADS DISPLAYED THE EFFECTS OF A RATHER LONG TURN IN THE FEED LOT BY THEIR INCREASED DRESSING PERCENTAGES. SOME OF THE STEERS WERE LATE IN ARRIVING BUT TRADING WAS NOT DELAYED TO ANY GREAT EXTENT AS THEY ARRIVED SHORTLY AFTER THE OPENING SESSION, WHEN MOST OF THE EARLIER ARRIVALS HAD ALREADY CHANGED HANDS. IN GENERAL PRICES RULED STEADY TO STRONG, WITH SPOTS IN THE TRADE 15 TO 25¢ HIGHER. WITH THE EXCEPTION OF MEDIUM BULLS WHICH CLEARED WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER, OTHER CLASSES WERE MOSTLY ON A STEADY BASIS. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS CONSISTED ALMOST ENTIRELY OF ODD LOTS, THE LIGHTER END OF WHICH MET A FAIR DEMAND, WHILE WEIGHTIER KINDS WERE SLOW AND OFTEN HARD TO SELL. THE COW MARKET, ALTHOUGH LOSING NO GROUND IN THE PRICE COLUMN, LACKED SOME OF THE ACTIVITY OF YESTERDAY AND CONSEQUENTLY TURNED SOMEWHAT SLOWER.

HEAVYWEIGHT STEERS REACHED THE HIGHEST PRICE TODAY SINCE THE FIRST WEEK IN JANUARY, WHILE MEDIUMWEIGHTS ALSO REACHED THE HIGHEST FIGURE SINCE JANUARY 29TH. AMONG THE OUTSTANDING OFFERINGS WERE TWO CARS OF HIGHLY FINISHED, HORNED, HEREFORD STEERS SCALING 1347-LBS. WHICH CASHED AT $13.75, A LOAD OF 1194-LB. AVERAGES ALSO SHARING THE TOP AT THE SAME FIGURE. ONE LOAD ON THE YEARLING ORDER STOPPED AT $13.65, WHILE NUMEROUS CONSIGNMENTS ON THE HANDYWEIGHT ORDER RANGED FROM $13.00 TO $13.40, THE BULK OF ALL STEERS CLEARING FROM $12.00 TO $13.25, SOME VERY PLAIN KINDS DOWN TO $11.25. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS IN SMALL LOTS WENT AT $11.50 TO $13.60, WHILE THE POPULAR SPREAD FOR THE MAJORITY OF COWS WAS $8.50 TO $9.75. A FEW LOW CUTTERS WERE NOTED AT $6.00 TO $6.75 AND CUTTERS UPWARD TO $8.00. THE PRACTICAL TOP FOR MEDIUM BULLS WAS $9.25, OTHERS DOWNWARD TO $8.00 OR BELOW ACCORDING TO CONDITION. GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WERE TAKEN BY PACKERS AND SHIPPERS AT $15.00.

HOGS: CONTINUED SLOW, WEAK OUTLET TO DRESSED PORK AT EASTERN CENTERS AND INCREASING SUPPLIES OF HOGS EXERTED SUFFICIENT PRESSURE TO FORCE LOCAL LIVE VALUES TO SHARPLY LOWER LEVELS. SHIPPING DEMAND WAS CURTAILED AND TRADE WAS SLOW ALL THE WAY THROUGH. OPENING SALES WERE MADE ON A 35 TO 40¢ LOWER BASIS COMPARED WITH THE BEST TIME OF TUESDAY OR 25¢ LOWER COMPARED WITH THE PREVIOUS DAY'S AVERAGE. PACKERS WERE OPERATING ON LATER ROUNDS AND THE GENERAL MARKET SLIPPED TO A LEVEL AT THE CLOSE 35 TO 50¢ UNDER YESTERDAY'S BEST TIME, WEIGHTY BUTCHERS SHOWING LEAST LOSS. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS SHARED THE LOSSES TO THE EXTENT OF 25 TO 50¢, PACKING SOWS DROPPING OFF MOSTLY 25¢. LOCAL RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 13,500 COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 10,968 LAST THURSDAY AND 14,652 A YEAR AGO.

GENERAL TOP ON EARLY ROUNDS WAS $11.65, ONLY A FEW SMALL LOTS EARNING A HIGHER FIGURE, WHILE BULK OF 160 TO 260-LB. WEIGHTS SOLD AT $11.50 TO $11.60. LATER TRADE WAS MOSTLY ON A $11.50 BASIS FOR LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT HOGS WITH LESS DESIRABLE GRADES WITHIN THIS WEIGHT CLASSIFICATION AT LOWER FIGURES. SEVERAL LOADS OF 270 TO 325-LB. BUTCHERS CASHED AT $11.40 TO $11.45, OCCASIONAL LOTS DOWN TO $11.35. NEAR THE EXTREME CLOSE ONE LOAD OF AROUND 220-LB. WEIGHTS OF OUTSTANDING QUALITY SOLD AT $11.60 BUT PRACTICAL TOP LATE WAS $11.50. MAJORITY OF 130 TO 150-LB. LIGHT LIGHTS REALIZED $10.00 TO $11.25 WITH PIGS SCALING 130 POUNDS AND DOWN MOVING AT $9.00 TO $10.25, PLAINER KINDS OF LIGHT PIGS DOWN TO $8.50 OR BELOW. PACKING SOWS SOLD EARLY AT $10.25, AN OCCASIONAL LOT AT $10.35, WHILE BULK LATE REALIZED $10.20 TO $10.25.

SHEEP: RECEIPTS OF SHEEP AND LAMBS TODAY WERE ESTIMATED AT 1000 HEAD, PRACTICALLY ALL OF WHICH WERE ON THROUGH OR DIRECT BILLING, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL OFFERINGS OF 1108 A WEEK AGO AND 231 A YEAR AGO. SALABLE SUPPLIES WERE REALLY TOO SCANTY TO TEST THE MARKET. AN OCCASIONAL SMALL LOT OF WOOLED LAMBS ARRIVED ABOUT MIDSESSION THAT SOLD TO CITY BUTCHERS AT PRICES RANGING FROM $16.00 TO $17.00 ACCORDING TO QUALITY. THESE APPEARED TO BE WEAK TO AROUND 25¢ LOWER THAN THE LATEST SALE OF COMPARABLE KINDS. BEST CLIPPED LAMBS SOLD UP TO $15.25 YESTERDAY BUT IT IS VERY DOUBTFUL IF SIMILAR LAMBS WOULD HAVE SOLD THAT HIGH TODAY. FAT WOOLED EWES ARE SALABLE AT $10.50 AND DOWN.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: ALL CLASSES GENERALLY STEADY; SPOTS WEAK TO LOWER ON SHORT FED STEERS, CHOICE GRADES IN BROAD DEMAND, FULLY STEADY; BULK FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.50 TO $13.50; TOP LIGHT STEERS $14.40; HEIFERS $11.75 TO $13.50; BEEF COWS $8.00 TO $10.00; ALL CUTTERS $6.00 TO $7.50; MEDIUM BULLS $8.75 TO $9.25; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $14.50; FIVE LOADS CALIFORNIA STEERS TO FEEDER DEALER $12.00, ONE LOAD $10.50.

HOGS: SLOW; GENERAL TRADE 25 TO 35¢ LOWER THAN TUESDAY'S AVERAGE; TOP $11.25 ON 200 TO 260-LBS.; BULK 180 TO 320-LB. WEIGHTS $11.00 TO $11.15; 140 TO 170-LBS. $10.50 TO $11.10; PACKING SOWS $10.25 TO $10.50; FEEDER PIGS STEADY AT $10.25 TO $10.50.

SHEEP: LAMBS STEADY TO 10¢ LOWER; SHEEP FIRM; SHEARING LAMBS WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; EARLY SALES FED WOOLED LAMBS $16.50 TO $16.65, SHIPPER TOP $16.75; WOOLED EWES $10.75 DOWN; CHOICE 118-LB. SHORN EWES $9.60; BULK SHEARING LAMBS $16.30 TO $16.35.

4/3/29 2:05 P.M. TRB. SEE OTHER SIDE

-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- Better grades fed steers with weight and all grades light yearlings fully steady; lower grades medium weight and weighty steers slow, weak; she stock steady to strong; bulls steady and vealers 25 to 50¢ higher; slow, steady market on stockers and feeders; steers with weight predominating in run; early top strictly choice weighty offerings $14.75; light steers on long yearling order $14.65; yearlings $14.50 and heifer yearlings $14.00; bulk fat steers and yearlings $12.75 to $14.25; practical top weighty sausage bulls $9.25; light vealers $11.50 to $12.50, weightier offerings $13.00 to $14.00, with shipper kinds $15.00 to $15.50.
HOGS:- Opened slow, 15 to 25¢ lower; later market 25 to 40¢ lower; all interest buying at decline; shipping demand very light; top $11.85 paid early for an occasional load of 180 to 220-lb. weights; bulk of good and choice hogs scaling from 160 to 320-lb. weights $11.50 to $11.75; choice heavy butcher mostly $11.55 to $11.65; light lights and pigs in narrow demand; desirable 130 to 150-lb. weights mostly $10.85 to $11.50; better grade pigs $9.50 to $10.50, choice strong weights $11.00; bulk packing sows $10.35 to $10.50, smooth sorts up to $10.65 and above.
SHEEP:- Opening very slow; practically no early sales or bids on fat lambs, generally asking fully steady, buyers talking weak to 25¢ lower; choice sorted lambs held toward $17.50; early indications, bulk good to choice kinds, around $16.75 to $17.25; few decks clipped lambs held around $16.00; choice light loads held above $16.25; few native throwouts $14.00 to $15.00; sheep steady; fat ewes mostly $10.50 to $11.00, few $11.25; feeding and shearing lambs steady; load 63-lb. weights at $16.50.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- Fed steers and yearlings moderately active, mostly steady with the week's 50 to 75¢ advance; quality considerably improved; mostly good and choice; light yearlings and she stock firm; bulls strong to 25¢ higher; vealers uneven, steady to 50¢ higher; weighty calves steady; stockers and feeders firm; choice 810-lb. yearling steers $14.50; heifers from the same feed lot averaging 750-lbs. $14.00; several loads choice 1074 to 1160-lb. steers $14.00 to $14.15; bulk fed steers $12.50 to $13.60; fat light yearlings $11.50 to $13.25; butcher cows $8.25 to $10.00; medium bulls $8.50 to $9.00; good to choice vealers $11.50 to $14.00, few selected kinds upward to $15.00 to outsiders; stockers and feeders largely $11.25 to $13.25, latter price paid for five loads choice 907-lb. fleshy feeders.
HOGS:- Slow; very uneven; mostly 10 to 25¢ lower than Tuesday's average; top $11.50 on 200 to 210-lb. weights to shippers; bulk early sales 170 to 250-lbs. $11.15 to $11.40; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.25 to $11.25; 250 to 300-lbs. $11.00 to $11.25; packing sows $9.50 to $10.50; pigs steady to weak, $9.20 to $10.60.
SHEEP:- Killing classes generally steady; top wooled lambs $16.70, others $16.25 to $16.60; few shorn lambs $14.50 to $14.85; Arizona springers $18.00 to $18.50; shorn Arizona ewes $9.50.

HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)		NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
Hvy. Wts. (250-350#)	Med-Ch	$11.25-11.50	$11.25-11.75	$10.60-11.25	$10.75-11.25
Med. Wts. (200-250#)	Med-Ch	11.30-11.50	11.25-11.85	10.65-11.50	10.75-11.25
Lt. Wts. (160-200#)	Med-Ch	11.15-11.50	11.00-11.85	10.70-11.45	10.50-11.20
Lt. Lts. (130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.00-11.50	10.00-11.75	10.15-11.25	10.00-11.00
Packing sows, smooth and rough		9.85-10.35	10.25-10.65	9.50-10.50	10.00-10.50
SlaughterPigs(90-130#)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.25	8.75-11.00	9.20-10.60	-----------
Fdr &Stkr.Pigs(70-130#)	Med-Ch	8.00-10.25	-----------	9.20-10.60	9.50-10.50
Av. Cost & Wt. Tues.(Pigs Exc)		11.38-200#	11.83-244#	11.38-235#	11.37-255#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-					
Steers: (1500# up)	Gd-Ch	-----------	12.60-14.50	-----------	-----------
Steers: (1300-1500#)	Choice	13.50-14.25	14.00-14.75	13.00-14.00	13.00-14.00
	Good	12.50-13.50	13.25-14.00	12.25-13.00	12.25-13.00
Steers: (1100-1300#)	Choice	13.75-14.50	14.00-14.75	13.00-14.25	13.25-14.50
	Good	12.75-13.75	13.25-14.00	12.50-13.50	12.50-13.50
Steers: (950-1100#)	Choice	13.75-14.75	14.00-15.00	13.50-14.50	13.50-14.75
	Good	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.25	12.50-13.75	13.00-13.75
Steers: (800# up)	Medium	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.50	11.50-12.50	11.75-13.00
	Common	9.50-12.00	9.75-12.00	9.50-11.50	9.25-11.75
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)	Choice	14.00-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
	Good	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.25	12.50-13.75	13.00-13.75
Heifers: (850# dn)	Choice	13.25-14.25	13.50-14.25	12.50-14.00	12.75-13.75
	Good	12.25-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.50-13.00	12.00-12.75
	Com-Med	8.75-12.25	9.00-12.50	8.25-11.75	8.50-12.00
Heifers: (850# up)	Choice	11.25-13.25	11.25-14.00	11.25-13.00	11.25-13.25
	Good	10.25-12.75	10.50-13.50	10.00-12.25	10.00-12.25
	Medium	9.00-11.75	9.75-12.50	8.50-11.50	8.75-11.50
Cows:	Choice	10.25-11.00	10.25-11.00	10.00-11.00	10.25-11.00
	Good	9.50-10.25	8.75-10.25	9.00-10.00	9.25-10.25
	Com-Med	8.00- 9.50	7.50- 8.75	7.25- 9.00	7.50- 9.25
	Low Cut-Cut	5.75- 8.00	6.25- 7.50	5.25- 7.25	6.00- 7.50
Bulls: (Ylg.Exc.Beef.)	Gd-Ch	9.25-10.50	9.50-10.50	9.00-10.00	9.25-10.25
	Cut-Med	7.50- 9.25	7.75- 9.50	7.00- 9.00	7.50- 9.25
Calves: (500# dn)	Med-Ch	9.50-12.50	9.00-11.50	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.50
	Cull-Com	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.00	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.50
Vealers: (Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	13.50-15.00	12.00-15.50	11.00-14.00	12.50-15.00
	Medium	11.00-13.50	10.50-12.00	9.00-11.00	11.00-12.50
	Cull-Com	6.00-11.00	7.50-10.50	6.00- 9.00	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-					
Steers: (800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	11.50-12.75	11.75-13.25
	Com-Med	9.00-11.50	9.50-11.75	9.25-11.75	9.25-11.75
Steers: (800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.75	12.00-13.75
	Com-Med	8.50-11.50	9.75-11.50	9.00-11.75	9.00-12.00
Heifers:	Gd-Ch	10.50-11.50	9.25-11.00	9.75-11.25	9.50-11.00
	Com-Med	8.50-10.50	8.25- 9.25	7.50- 9.75	7.75- 9.50
Cows:	Gd-Ch	8.00- 9.00	7.50- 8.25	7.75- 8.75	7.50- 8.75
	Com-Med	7.00- 8.00	7.25- 7.50	6.75- 7.75	6.25- 7.50
Calves: (Steers)	Gd-Ch	-----------	-----------	12.00-14.00	11.25-14.00
	Medium	-----------	-----------	10.00-12.00	8.75-11.25
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-		QUOTATIONS ON WOOLED BASIS.			
Lambs: (84# dn)	Gd-Ch	16.25-17.25	16.50-17.50	15.50-16.70	16.00-16.75
(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	16.25-17.25	16.35-17.50	15.50-16.60	15.75-16.75
(92# dn)	Medium	14.75-16.50	15.75-16.50	14.50-15.50	15.00-16.00
(92-100#)	Med-Ch	-----------	15.50-17.25	14.50-16.40	15.00-16.50
(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	11.00-14.75	12.00-15.75	10.00-14.50	11.00-15.00
Yearling Wethers(110#dn)	Med-Ch	10.50-14.50	11.50-15.50	10.50-14.50	11.00-14.75
Ewes: (120# dn)	Med-Ch	8.75-10.50	9.00-11.25	8.50-10.50	8.50-11.00
(120-150#)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.25	8.75-11.00	8.25-10.25	8.25-10.75
(120-150#)	Cull-Com	4.25- 8.75	4.00- 9.00	4.00- 8.50	4.00- 8.50
FEEDING SHEEP AND LAMBS:-					
Feeding Lambs(Range Skt.)	Gd-Ch	-----------	15.00-16.75	-----------	14.50-16.00
	Medium	-----------	13.25-15.00	-----------	13.00-14.50

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Daily Report of Livestock Market - Thursday - April 4, 1929.

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
National Stock Yards	** 1,700	** 1,200	14,000	200
Chicago	8,000	4,000	30,000	10,000
Kansas City	2,500	300	8,000	6,000
Omaha	4,800	200	13,000	11,500
St. Joseph	2,400	400	4,000	5,000
St. Paul	3,000	2,000	3,500	600
Sioux City	2,500	100	9,000	2,500
Cincinnati	275	475	1,800	100
Indianapolis	600	500	5,000	300
Pittsburgh	25	175	3,000	2,500
Buffalo	70	40	1,100	-----
Total 11 Markets	25,870	9,390	96,400	38,700
One week ago	19,575	9,735	87,400	31,975
One year ago	19,800	3,410	86,460	40,825
To date this week	121,170	40,340	370,335	189,100
Same period last week	147,965	45,135	404,400	168,900
Same period last year	122,925	42,345	435,360	170,275

** Includes 350 cattle and calves on through billing. Today's estimated hog receipts include estimated unloads of through and direct billed hogs as follows: Nat'l Stock Yards 2,000 through; Chicago 5,500; Kansas City 300; Omaha 3,800; St. Paul 700; Sioux City 1,200; St. Joseph 100.

Nat'l Stock Yards Receipts, Shipments and Packer Purchases - Wednesday - Apr. 3, 1929

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Actual receipts	2,537	1,852	14,696	1,230
Total shipments	801	643	3,429	481
Packer purchases	1,797	1,414	5,057	261

National Stock Yards Livestock Market - Thursday - April 4, 1929
(Based on market conditions and sales reported up to 1:30 P.M.)

CATTLE: Receipts of cattle were estimated at 1700 today, as compared with actual arrivals numbering 1496 last Thursday, and 1347 the corresponding day a year ago.

The moderately light supply of cattle here today changed hands rather rapidly and almost a complete clearance was effected on first rounds at generally steady prices. Some exception to this might be cited in the case of mixed yearlings and heifers which did not receive as much attention from buyers as did the other classes and closed steady to weak, with a few spots in the trade showing some minor downturns. The steers offered today were grouped quite distinctly into two classes - the one group comprising good steers selling upward from $13.25, the other largely "yellow hammers" at $12.25 and $12.35 - and only a load or two between the latter figure and the low price end of the best group. Although the scaleward movement of steers did not commence quite as early as yesterday, when once a satisfactory agreement had been reached it was "all over" in no time. There was a rather light supply of butcher cows and all cutters but prices remained unchanged for the most part, while bulls although scarce carried an undertone of weakness.

Two cars of long yearlings averaging 1029-lbs. and a load of yearlings averaging 989-lbs. tied for top place at $13.85, while other yearlings and lightweight steers ranged from $13.25 to $13.75, a load of highly finished 1281-lb. weights stopping at $13.65. A six-car string of "yellow hammers" turned at $12.35, with two cars out of the same consignment at $12.25. Mixed yearlings in load lots went at $13.35 and $13.50, while odd lots of these and heifers ranged largely from $11.50 to $13.50, a few individuals reaching $14.00. Most of the cows cleared at $8.50 to $9.75 and a few low cutters were found at $5.75 to $6.75, largely $6.00 and up, with cutters upward to $7.75 or more. Medium bulls topped at $9.25, while good and choice vealers went to packers and shippers at $15.00.

HOGS: Considerable unevenness prevailed in the hog market today. Local supplies ran substantially greater than a week ago but yesterday's sharp downturn made prices very attractive to Eastern killers and local shipping demand expanded. Early sales were made to shippers and butchers 10 to 15¢ lower than the average of Wednesday or 15 to 20¢ below the best time. About mid-session trade strengthened until 5 to 10¢ of the loss was regained with the market very active. Most shipping orders were filled at this time and several loads that arrived late failed to find much action. Packers bought sparingly and near the close attempts were made to cheapen costs but as this was written practically none of the late arrivals had sold and indications were that there would be a fairly liberal number held off the market. Pigs and light lights ruled steady to weak. Receipts here were estimated at 14,000 including 2,000 through compared with actual arrivals of 11,401 last Thursday and 12,735 a year ago.

Most early sales of 160 to 280-lb. weights were made at $11.35 to $11.40, latter price being most popular figure paid. Later rounds saw most of these weights at $11.40 and $11.45, a moderate number topping at $11.50. Several bids 10 to 15¢ lower than the best time failed to receive much action though the close of the market was very slow. A few loads of 270 to 325-lb. butchers cashed at $11.25 to $11.35. Majority of 130 to 150-lb. light lights turned at $10.00 to $11.00, a few strong one fifties higher. Pigs scaling 130 pounds down were most numerous at $9.00 to $10.00 though some of the better strongweights did sell above the latter figure. Bulk of packing sows cleared at $10.00 to $10.15.

SHEEP: With an estimated run of only 200 head and up to a late hour actual marketings falling short of this figure, supplies were too light to test values. The run last Thursday was 301 head and year ago only 37 arrived. Odd lots of sheep and lambs appeared to be about steady with Wednesday. City butchers paid up to $17.00 and $17.25 for a few odd head of wooled lambs and around $15.75 to $16.00 for a very limited number of desirable clipped lambs. No yearlings or spring lambs were offered for sale. Packers took a few odd lots of wooled ewes at prices ranging from $9.00 to $10.50 according to weight and quality, with clipped ewes salable at $9.50 downward.

Omaha Market - 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: Fed steers and yearlings steady; she stock and bulls steady to weak; veals steady to strong; stockers and feeders scarce, steady; bulk fed steers and yearlings $12.50 to $13.75; weighty steers and yearlings $14.00, light steers 1114-lbs. $14.50; heifers mostly $11.75 to $13.00; bulk beef cows $8.00 to $10.00; bulk all cutters $6.00 to $7.50; medium bulls $8.75 to $9.00; practical top veals $15.00; seven loads 836-lb. California steers to feeder dealer $12.25.

HOGS: Opened 10 to 15¢ lower to shippers; close active, steady to 10¢ lower to all interests; top $11.15 on 220 to 260-lb. butchers; bulk 180 to 340-lb. weights $10.90 to $11.05, mostly $11.00; bulk 150 to 180-lb. selections $10.50 to $11.00; packing sows 25¢ lower, $10.00 to $10.25; feeder pigs 25¢ or more lower, mostly $10.00.

SHEEP: Lambs steady to 15¢ higher; sheep and shearing lambs strong; bulk fed wooled lambs $16.50 to $16.75, shipper top $16.90; 4 decks California spring lambs, around 80-lbs., $19.25; shorn lambs $15.25; wooled ewes up to $11.00; shorn ewes averaging 135-lbs. $9.50; shearing lambs $16.25 to $16.50.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- Better grade fed steers and practically all grades light yearlings steady; lower grade steers steady to 15¢ lower, slow; shipping demand for better grades not very broad, but supply small; fat cows and weighty heifers weak to 25¢ lower; butcher heifers steady; cows of value to sell at $8.00 downward, mostly cutters, getting action; bulls 10 to 15¢ higher and vealers strong to 50¢ higher, active; part load mixed light yearlings $14.75; next highest price $14.35 paid for light steers on long yearling order; best weighty bullocks early $14.25; killing quality steer run much less desirable than Wednesday, bulk early sales $12.00 to $13.75; stockers slow in sympathy with narrow country demand; weighty shipper bulls $9.25 to $9.50; light and medium weight kinds $8.50 to $9.00; light vealers $12.00 to $13.00, shippers paying up to $16.00.

HOGS:- Slow; opened 15 to 25¢ lower; later trade 25 to 35¢ lower in comparison with Wednesday's average shipping demand narrow; top $11.55 paid for load of around 210-lb. weights; several loads at $11.50; bulk of desirable hogs scaling from 160 to 300-lbs. $11.25 to $11.45; light lights and pigs very slow; bulk of desirable 130 to 150-lb. averages $10.00 to $11.00; choice 150-lb. weights $11.25; pigs mostly $9.00 to$10.00; bulk packing sows $10.15 to $10.35, smooth softs up to $10.50.

SHEEP:- Market very slow; generally asking strong to shade higher; few early sales and bids fully steady; indications bulk good to choice 88 to 94-lb. fat lambs $17.00 to $17.25, choice light weights held above $17.50; few throwouts $14.00 to $15.00; sheep quotable steady; choice fat ewes eligible around $11.00 to $11.50; feeding and shearing lambs steady, scattered sales $16.00 to $16.75.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- Fed steers and yearlings fairly active, steady to strong, spots slightly higher; light yearlings and she stock slow, mostly steady; bulls scarce, unchanged; vealers strong to 50¢ higher; weighty calves steady; stockers and feeders steady to strong; choice 1182-lb. steers $14.15; 1263-lb. averages $13.85; choice heavy steers held around $14.00; bulk desirable offerings $12.50 to $13.50; fed dogies downward to $11.50; short load mixed yearlings $14.25; choice light heifers $13.90; bulk fat light yearlings $12.00 to $13.50; butcher cows $8.25 to $10.00; all cutters $5.50 to $7.25; good to choice vealers $12.00 to $14.00, few selected kinds up to $15.00; white faced yearling stockers $13.40; four loads 885-lb. California feeders $12.25.

HOGS:- Opened slow, 15 to 25¢ lower; closing fairly active, 10 to 20¢ lower than average on Wednesday; top $11.20 on good and choice 200 to 230-lb.; bulk 170 to 250-lbs. $11.00 to $11.15; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.00 to $11.00; packing sows mostly $9.00 to $10.00, few choice light weights up to $10.25; stock pigs $9.20 to $10.60.

SHEEP:- Fat lambs strong to 25¢ higher, spots up more on woolskins; 430 head Arizona springers weighing 75-lbs. $18.75; most wooled lambs $16.65 to $16.90, some held higher; clippers $15.00 to $15.35; aged sheep scarce, steady; 91 head Arizona shorn ewes, 115-lbs. $9.25.

			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)						
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$11.15-11.45	$11.00-11.40	$10.50-11.15	$10.65-11.15
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	11.25-11.50	11.00-11.55	10.35-11.20	10.70-11.15
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	11.00-11.50	10.75-11.50	10.45-11.20	10.40-11.15
Lt. Lts.	(130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.00-11.45	9.75-11.40	10.00-11.00	10.00-11.00
Packing sows, smooth and rough			9.70-10.20	10.00-10.50	9.25-10.25	9.75-10.35
Slaughter Pigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.25	8.50-10.60	9.20-10.60	----------
Fdr &Stkr. Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.25	-----------	9.20-10.60	9.25-10.25
Av. Cost & Wt. Wed. (Pigs Exc)			11.07-211#	11.54-249#	11.05-246#	11.00-254#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	-----------	12.60-14.50	-----------	-----------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.50-14.25	14.00-14.75	13.15-14.00	13.25-14.25
		Good	12.50-13.50	13.25-14.00	12.40-13.15	12.25-13.25
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.75-14.50	14.00-14.75	13.15-14.25	13.25-14.50
		Good	12.75-13.75	13.25-14.00	12.50-13.50	12.50-13.50
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	13.75-14.75	14.00-15.00	13.50-14.50	13.50-14.75
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.00-14.00	12.75-13.75	13.00-13.75
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.50	11.75-12.75	11.75-13.00
		Common	9.50-12.00	9.75-12.00	9.50-11.75	9.25-11.75
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)		Choice	14.00-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.25	12.75-13.75	13.00-13.75
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	13.25-14.25	13.50-14.25	12.50-14.00	12.75-13.75
		Good	12.25-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.50-13.00	12.00-12.75
		Com-Med	8.75-12.25	9.00-12.50	8.25-11.75	8.50-12.00
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	11.25-13.25	11.25-14.00	11.25-13.00	11.25-13.25
		Good	10.25-12.75	10.50-13.50	10.00-12.25	10.00-12.25
		Medium	9.00-11.75	9.75-12.50	8.50-11.50	8.75-11.50
Cows:		Choice	10.25-11.00	10.25-11.00	10.00-11.00	10.25-11.00
		Good	9.50-10.25	9.00-10.25	9.00-10.00	9.25-10.25
		Com-Med	8.00- 9.50	7.75- 9.00	7.25- 9.00	7.50- 9.25
		Low Cut-Cut	5.75- 8.00	6.25- 7.75	5.25- 7.25	6.00- 7.50
Bulls: (Ylg. Exc. Beef.)		Gd-Ch	9.25-10.50	9.50-10.50	9.00-10.00	9.25-10.25
		Cut-Med	7.50- 9.25	8.00- 9.00	7.00- 9.00	7.50- 9.25
Calves:	(500# dn)	Med-Ch	9.50-12.50	9.00-11.50	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.50
		Cull-Com	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.00	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.50
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	13.50-15.00	12.50-16.00	11.50-15.00	12.50-15.00
		Medium	11.00-13.50	11.00-12.50	9.00-11.50	11.00-12.50
		Cull-Com	6.00-11.00	7.50-11.00	6.00- 9.00	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	11.75-12.75	11.75-13.25
		Com-Med	9.00-11.50	9.50-11.75	9.25-12.00	9.25-11.75
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.50-13.00	12.00-14.00	12.00-13.75
		Com-Med	8.50-11.50	9.75-11.50	9.00-12.00	9.00-12.00
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	11.00-12.00	9.25-11.00	9.75-11.25	9.50-11.00
		Com-Med	8.50-11.00	8.50- 9.25	7.50- 9.75	7.75- 9.50
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.50- 9.25	7.75- 8.50	7.75- 8.75	7.50- 8.75
		Com-Med	7.50- 8.50	7.50- 7.75	6.75- 7.75	6.25- 7.50
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	-----------	-----------	12.00-14.00	11.25-14.00
		Medium	-----------	-----------	10.00-12.00	8.75-11.25
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			QUOTATIONS ON WOOLED BASIS.			
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	16.25-17.25	16.50-17.65	15.75-17.00	16.25-16.90
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	16.25-17.25	16.35-17.35	15.75-17.00	16.00-16.90
	(92# dn)	Medium	14.75-16.25	15.75-16.50	14.75-15.75	15.00-16.25
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	-----------	15.50-17.35	14.75-16.75	15.00-16.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	11.00-14.75	12.00-15.75	10.00-14.75	11.00-15.00
Yearling Wethers	(110# dn)	Med-Ch	10.50-14.50	11.50-15.50	10.50-14.75	11.00-14.75
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	8.75-10.50	9.25-11.50	8.50-10.50	9.50-11.00
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.25	9.00-11.25	8.25-10.25	8.25-10.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	4.25- 8.75	4.25- 9.25	4.00- 8.50	4.00- 8.50
FEEDING SHEEP AND LAMBS:-						
Feeding Lambs	(Range Stk.)	Gd-Ch	-----------	15.00-16.75	-----------	14.50-16.00
		Medium	-----------	13.25-15.00	-----------	13.00-14.50

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET - FRIDAY - APRIL 5, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	** 700	** 600	10,000	1,000
CHICAGO	2,000	1,000	18,000	15,000
KANSAS CITY	500	100	4,500	4,000
OMAHA	1,500	100	6,500	13,000
ST. JOSEPH	400	50	2,500	6,500
ST. PAUL	1,400	1,100	7,500	300
SIOUX CITY	1,000	100	5,500	2,500
CINCINNATI	275	300	1,400	50
INDIANAPOLIS	400	500	4,000	200
PITTSBURGH	25	125	1,500	750
BUFFALO	100	500	2,400	1,800
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	8,300	4,475	63,800	45,100
ONE WEEK AGO	7,700	5,480	70,720	25,750
ONE YEAR AGO	5,925	4,550	61,120	22,975
TO DATE THIS WEEK	129,470	44,815	434,125	234,200
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	155,655	50,615	475,120	194,650
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	128,850	47,395	496,480	193,250

** INCLUDES 200 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NAT'L STOCK YARDS 1,800 THROUGH, 200 DIRECT; CHICAGO 8,500; OMAHA 2,000; ST. JOSEPH 150; ST. PAUL 100; SIOUX CITY 200.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS & PACKER PURCHASES - THURSDAY - APR. 4, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES.	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	2,347	1,268	14,423	590
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	497	850	9,916	499
PACKER PURCHASES	1,734	686	3,500	188

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET - FRIDAY - APRIL 5, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:15 P.M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 700 TODAY, AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 436 LAST FRIDAY, AND A TOTAL OF 667 BY ACTUAL COUNT THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

A FEW LOADS OF STEERS AND A LOAD OR TWO OF MIXED YEARLINGS WERE ABOUT THE EXTENT OF THE SUPPLY ON WHICH TO BASE ACTUAL MARKET CONDITIONS. THE STEERS COMPRISED TWO CARS OF LIGHTWEIGHTS AND THE SAME NUMBER OF MEDIUMWEIGHTS ALL OF GOOD QUALITY AND CONDITION, WHICH SOLD ON A STEADY BASIS WITH THE HIGH TIME OF THE WEEK. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS DID NOT MOVE VERY RAPIDLY, THESE DRAGGING ALONG RECEIVING VERY LITTLE ATTENTION FROM BUYERS AND CLOSED ON A STEADY TO WEAK BASIS. ALL OTHER CLASSES WERE OFFERED IN MEAGER QUANTITIES, IT BEING LARGELY A FRIDAY CLEAN-UP TRADE AT ABOUT STEADY PRICES. THE VEALER CROP WAS NOT WANTED EXCEPT AT CHEAPER FIGURES WITH THE RESULT THAT PRICES BROKE 25¢ FROM THE LEVEL OF YESTERDAY.

THE TOP ON STEERS WAS PLACED AT $13.00, THIS PRICE BEING PAID FOR TWO CARS OF HORNED, HEREFORDS SCALING 1277-LBS., WHILE TWO LOADS OF 1129-LB. AVERAGES STOPPED AT $13.35. BEST MIXED YEARLINGS WERE A SHORT CAR OF 774-LB. AVERAGES AT $13.65, WITH ODD LOTS OF MIXED MATERIAL AND HEIFERS CHANGING OWNERSHIP AT $11.50 TO $13.25. MOST OF THE COWS BULKED AT $8.50 TO $8.75, A FEW LOW CUTTERS $5.75 TO $6.75. A LIMITED NUMBER OF MEDIUM BULLS TURNED DOWNWARD FROM $9.00, WHILE GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WENT ON PACKER ACCOUNT LARGELY AT $14.75.

A MEAGER SUPPLY OF STOCKER AND FEEDER STEERS SOLD ON COUNTRY ACCOUNT DURING THE WEEK AT STEADY TO STRONG PRICES COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO, WHILE STOCK COWS AND HEIFERS ARE QUOTABLE STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER UNDER A HEALTHY DEMAND. WEIGHTY STEERS WERE CONFINED TO A COUPLE OF LOADS AT $11.50 TO $13.00, AVERAGING 844 AND 1094-LBS. RESPECTIVELY. LIGHT WEIGHT STEERS RANGED FROM $8.60 TO $12.75, THE BULK $10.75 TO $12.25. COWS TURNED LARGELY AT $8.00 TO $8.75 AND HEIFERS CHIEFLY $10.00 TO $11.50.

HOGS: THE SHARP PRICE REDUCTIONS AT MIDWEEK MADE LOCAL HOG VALUES ATTRACTIVE TO ALL KILLING INTERESTS AND A BROAD DEMAND, PARTICULARLY ON THE PART OF EASTERN ORDER BUYERS, DEVELOPED. SLACKENING RECEIPTS AROUND THE MARKET CIRCUIT FURNISHED ANOTHER FACTOR FAVORABLE TO SELLING INTERESTS. TRADE OPENED ON A 5 TO 10¢ HIGHER BASIS COMPARED WITH THURSDAY'S AVERAGE, MOSTLY TO BUTCHERS AND SHIPPERS. ON LATER ROUNDS PACKERS ENTERED TO ADD A LITTLE STRENGTH AND CLOSING ROUNDS WERE ACTIVE AND STRONG TO ALL INTERESTS, MOSTLY 10¢ ABOVE YESTERDAY'S AVERAGE. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS ENCOUNTERED A NARROW SHIPPING OUTLET AND FINISHED UP MOSTLY UNCHANGED. RECEIPTS HERE WERE ESTIMATED AT 10,000 HEAD INCLUDING 2,000 THROUGH AND DIRECT COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 9,668 LAST FRIDAY AND 10,365 A YEAR AGO. IN ADDITION OVER 5,000 WERE HELD FROM THURSDAY.

EARLY SALES OF 160 TO 240-LB. WEIGHTS WERE REGISTERED AT $11.50 TO $11.55, WITH A SPARINGLY PAID TOP AT $11.60. ON LATER ROUNDS THE TOP WAS PAID FREELY WITH BULK OF 160 TO 250-LBS. AT $11.50 TO $11.60. MAJORITY OF 250 TO 290-LB. BUTCHERS TURNED AT $11.40 TO $11.50, THERE BEING PRACTICALLY NO EXTREME HEAVIES ON SALE. DESIRABLE 130 TO 150-LB. LIGHT LIGHTS CASHED MOSTLY AT $10.00 TO $11.00 WITH PIGS SCALING 130 POUNDS DOWN LARGELY $9.00 TO $10.00, PLAINER GRADES OF LIGHT PIGS DOWN TO AROUND $8.50 OR EVEN A LITTLE LESS. PACKING SOWS SOLD EARLY AT $10.10 TO $10.15 BUT NEAR THE CLOSE $10.20 WAS PAID QUITE FREELY AND SEVERAL LOTS MADE $10.25.

SHEEP: TODAY'S SHEEP AND LAMB RUN, WHICH WAS ESTIMATED AT 1000 HEAD, CONSISTED ALMOST ENTIRELY OF STOCK BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT. THE RUN LAST FRIDAY WAS 372 AND A YEAR AGO 616. THERE WAS REALLY NOTHING HERE TO MAKE A MARKET AND ALL QUOTATIONS WERE LEFT UNCHANGED. DESIRABLE WOOLED LAMBS ARE SALABLE AROUND $17.00 TO $17.25, POSSIBLY A LITTLE HIGHER IF STRICTLY CHOICE HANDYWEIGHTS. CLIPPED LAMBS HAVE BEEN SELLING RECENTLY MOSTLY AT $15.75 TO $16.00 THOUGH CHOICE DESCRIPTIONS MIGHT SELL UP TO $16.25. FAT WOOLED EWES ARE SALABLE AT $9.00 TO $10.50 ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY, AND MOST OF THE WEEK'S SUPPLY OF FAT CLIPPED EWES SOLD DOWNWARD FROM $9.50.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: SLAUGHTER STEERS AND SHE STOCK SLOW, STEADY TO WEAK; BULLS WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; VEALS STEADY; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS SCARCE; FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.20 TO $13.60, FEW HEAD YEARLINGS $13.90; HEIFERS $11.50 TO $13.00, FEW LOTS UP TO $13.40; BULK BEEF COWS $8.00 TO $9.75; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.10 TO $7.50; MEDIUM BULLS $8.60 TO $8.75; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $15.00.

HOGS: SLOW, MOSTLY 10 TO 15¢ HIGHER; TOP $11.25 ON 210 TO 260-LB. BUTCHERS; BULK 190 TO 320-LB. WEIGHTS $11.10 TO $11.25; BULK 150 TO 190-LB. SELECTIONS $10.50 TO $11.15; PACKING SOWS $10.25 TO $10.35; FEEDER PIGS 25¢ LOWER, $9.25 TO $10.00.

SHEEP: LAMBS 25 TO 35¢ HIGHER, SPOTS UP MORE; OTHER CLASSES FIRM; BULK FED WOOLED LAMBS $16.75 TO $17.00, TOP $17.25; WOOLED EWES IN ODD LOTS UP TO $11.00; SHEARING LAMBS $16.25 TO $16.65.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, FRIDAY, APRIL 5, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A.M.

CATTLE:- FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS STEADY; SUPPLY SHORT; BEST WEIGHTY STEERS $14.00; MIXED YEARLINGS $13.50; SPRINKLING STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.00 TO $13.25; ALL WEIGHTS AND REPRESENTATIVE GRADES GETTING DEPENDABLE ACTION; STOCKERS SCARCE, STEADY WITH WEEK'S 25 TO 50¢ UPTURN; NOT MUCH CHANGE IN SHE STOCK, ALL INTERESTS BUYING; LIGHT FAT COWS, KINDS SCALING 1000-LBS. DOWNWARD GETTING SUBSTANTIAL PREMIUM OVER COMPARABLE GRADES WEIGHTY OFFERINGS; LIGHT BUTCHER HEIFERS AND HEIFERETTES FULLY STEADY, LIGHT KINDS IN BROADEST DEMAND; BULLS STRONG TO 15¢ HIGHER, WITH PRACTICAL TOP HEAVY SHIPPER SAUSAGE BULLS $9.50, BULK $8.75 TO $9.25; RUNAWAY MARKET ON LIGHT VEALERS, 75¢ TO $1.00 HIGHER; PRACTICALLY NOTHING BELOW $14.00, BULK 95 TO 105-LB. KINDS $13.00 TO $14.00, WEIGHTIER OFFERINGS $14.50 TO $15.50, WITH SELECTED SHIPPERS UP TO $17.00.

HOGS:- MOSTLY 25¢ HIGHER THAN THURSDAY'S AVERAGE; LIGHT LIGHTS AND PIGS 25 TO 40¢ HIGHER; TOP $11.75 PAID FOR AN OCCASIONAL LOAD OF 180 TO 210-LB. WEIGHTS; BULK OF BETTER GRADE HOGS SCALING FROM 160 TO 300-LBS. $11.50 TO $11.70; OCCASIONAL LOADS MEDIUM TO GOOD GRADE HEAVY BUTCHERS DOWN TO $11.40 AND MEDIUM QUALITY LIGHTER WEIGHT HOGS DOWN TO $11.25; DESIRABLE 130 TO 150-LB. AVERAGES MOSTLY $10.50 TO $11.25; CHOICE 150-LB. WEIGHTS $11.50, AND 160-LB. AVERAGES $11.60; PIGS MOSTLY $9.25 TO $10.50, CHOICE STRONG WEIGHTS UP TO $11.00; BULK PACKING SOWS $10.25 TO $10.40, SMOOTH LIGHT WEIGHTS UP TO $10.60.

SHEEP:- RUN INCLUDES ONLY AROUND FIVE LOADS FAT LAMBS; BULK OF RUN DIRECT; FEW EARLY SALES AROUND STEADY; CHOICE 76-LB. SHORN LAMBS $16.55; FEW PLAIN HEAVY WEIGHTS $15.50; LOAD GOOD TO CHOICE WOOLSKINS AROUND 100-LBS. $16.75; SCATTERING COMMON TO MEDIUM LAMBS $15.00 TO $16.00; SHEEP SCARCE, QUOTABLE STEADY; ONE DECK GOOD TO CHOICE LIGHT WETHERS $11.00; FEW LOADS SHEARING LAMBS STEADY AT $16.75.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- KILLING CLASSES CATTLE GENERALLY STEADY; FEW LOADS FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.50 TO $13.65; BEST WEIGHTY STEERS $13.50; SHORT LOAD MIXED YEARLINGS $13.00; BUTCHER COWS $8.25 TO $10.00; ALL CUTTERS $5.50 TO $7.25; VEALERS AND CALVES FULLY STEADY; GOOD TO CHOICE VEALERS $12.00 TO $15.00; WEIGHTY CALVES $12.50 DOWN; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS TRADE CONFINED TO MODERATE SUPPLY HELD BY DEALERS.

HOGS:- OPENED MODERATELY ACTIVE; UNEVENLY STRONG TO 15¢ HIGHER WITH SPOTS UP MORE ON LIGHT WEIGHTS; CLOSING SLOW WITH PART OF ADVANCE LOST; TOP $11.40 ON CHOICE 210-LBS.; PACKER TOP $11.25 ON 200 TO 250-LBS.; BULK DESIRABLE 170 TO 240-LBS. $11.15 TO $11.35; 140 TO 160-LBS. $10.25 TO $11.25; 250 TO 300-LBS. $10.80 TO $11.25; PACKING SOWS STEADY, MOSTLY $9.25 TO $10.00, FEW $10.25; STOCK PIGS WEAK TO 15¢ LOWER AT $9.00 TO $10.50.

SHEEP:- FAIRLY ACTIVE; WOOLED LAMBS 25 TO 35¢ HIGHER; CLIPPERS 15 TO 25¢ HIGHER; TOP WOOLED LAMBS $17.35; BULK $16.85 TO $17.25; CLIPPERS $15.00 TO $15.50; SHEEP STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; CLIPPED YEARLINGS AND TWO YEAR OLDS $13.25; ODD LOTS FAT EWES UP TO $10.75.

HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)			NAT'L. STK. YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$11.25-11.55	$11.25-11.65	$10.50-11.25	$10.75-11.25
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	11.35-11.60	11.25-11.75	10.60-11.40	10.85-11.25
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	11.00-11.60	11.00-11.75	10.65-11.35	10.50-11.25
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.00-11.55	10.00-11.60	10.25-11.25	10.00-11.10
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.75-10.25	10.10-10.60	9.25-10.25	10.00-10.50
SLAUGHTER PIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	8.25-10.25	9.00-11.00	9.00-10.50	----------
FDR. & STKR. PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	8.25-10.25	----------	9.00-10.50	9.00-10.00
AV. COST & WT. THURS. (PIGS EXC)			11.11-194#	11.28-239#	10.92-240#	10.93-249#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	----------	12.60-14.50	----------	----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.50-14.25	14.00-14.75	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.25
		GOOD	12.50-13.50	13.25-14.00	12.25-13.00	12.25-13.25
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.50	14.00-14.75	13.00-14.25	13.25-14.50
		GOOD	12.75-13.75	13.25-14.00	12.50-13.50	12.50-13.50
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.75	14.00-15.00	13.50-14.50	13.50-14.75
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.00	12.50-13.75	13.00-13.75
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.50	11.50-12.50	11.75-13.00
		COMMON	9.50-12.00	9.75-12.00	9.50-11.50	9.25-11.75
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	14.00-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.25	12.50-13.75	13.00-13.75
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	13.25-14.25	13.50-14.25	12.50-14.00	12.75-13.75
		GOOD	12.25-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.50-13.00	12.00-12.75
		COM-MED	8.75-12.25	9.00-12.50	8.25-11.75	8.50-12.00
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	11.25-13.25	11.25-14.00	11.25-13.00	11.25-13.25
		GOOD	10.25-12.75	10.25-13.50	10.00-12.25	10.00-12.25
		MEDIUM	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.50	8.50-11.50	8.75-11.50
COWS:		CHOICE	10.25-11.00	10.25-11.00	10.00-11.00	10.25-11.00
		GOOD	9.50-10.25	9.00-10.25	9.00-10.00	9.25-10.25
		COM-MED	8.00- 9.50	7.75- 9.00	7.25- 9.00	7.50- 9.25
		LOW CUT-CUT	5.75- 8.00	6.25- 7.75	5.25- 7.25	6.00- 7.50
BULLS: (YLG. EXC. BEEF.)		GD-CH	9.25-10.50	9.50-10.50	9.00-10.00	9.00-10.25
		CUT-MED	7.50- 9.25	8.00- 9.60	7.00- 9.00	7.50- 9.00
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	9.50-12.50	10.00-13.00	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.50
		CULL-COM	6.50- 9.50	7.00-10.00	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.50
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	13.25-14.75	13.75-17.00	11.00-14.00	12.50-15.00
		MEDIUM	10.75-13.25	12.00-13.75	9.00-11.00	11.00-12.50
		CULL-COM	6.00-10.75	8.00-12.00	6.00- 9.00	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	11.50-12.75	11.75-13.25
		COM-MED	9.00-11.50	9.50-11.75	9.25-11.75	9.25-11.75
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.75	12.00-13.75
		COM-MED	8.50-11.50	9.75-11.50	9.00-11.75	9.00-12.00
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	11.00-12.00	9.50-11.25	9.75-11.25	9.50-11.00
		COM-MED	8.50-11.00	8.75- 9.50	7.50- 9.75	7.75- 9.50
COWS:		GD-CH	8.50-9.25	8.00- 8.50	7.75- 8.75	7.50- 8.75
		COM-MED	7.50- 8.50	7.50- 8.00	6.75- 7.75	6.25- 7.50
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	----------	----------	12.00-14.00	11.25-14.00
		MEDIUM	----------	----------	10.00-12.00	8.75-11.25
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			QUOTATIONS ON WOOLED BASIS.			
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	16.25-17.25	16.50-17.65	16.00-17.35	16.50-17.25
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	16.25-17.25	16.50-17.65	16.00-17.35	16.25-17.25
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	14.75-16.25	15.75-16.50	15.00-16.00	15.50-16.50
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	----------	15.50-17.50	15.00-17.00	15.50-17.00
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	11.00-14.75	12.00-15.75	10.50-15.00	11.50-15.50
YEARLING WETHERS	(110# DN)	MED-CH	10.50-14.50	11.50-15.50	8.50-10.75	11.00-14.75
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	8.75-10.50	9.25-11.50	8.25-10.50	8.50-11.00
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	8.25-10.25	9.00-11.25	8.25-10.25	8.25-10.75
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	4.25- 8.75	4.25- 9.25	4.00- 8.50	4.00- 8.50
FEEDING SHEEP AND LAMBS:-						
FEEDING LAMBS	(RANGE STK.)	GD-CH	----------	15.00-16.75	----------	14.50-16.00
		MEDIUM	----------	13.25-15.00	----------	13.00-14.50

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SUMMARY OF LIVESTOCK MARKET - SATURDAY - APRIL 6, 1929

RECEIPTS

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NAT'L STOCK YARDS (EST)	250	100	3,000	----
NAT'L STOCK YARDS TOTAL THIS WK. (APPROXIMATE)	9,500	6,600	67,000	4,750
NAT'L STOCK YARDS TOTAL LAST WEEK	10,000	7,125	66,450	5,357
NAT'L STOCK YARDS TOTAL SAME WEEK LAST YEAR	9,560	7,464	72,683	4,036
11 MARKET TOTAL THIS WEEK	131,140	[illegible]	432,535	250,145
11 MARKET TOTAL LAST WEEK	158,040	51,600	497,225	209,575
11 MARKET TOTAL SAME WEEK LAST YEAR	131,250	48,320	517,340	205,045

** INCLUDES 200 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NAT'L STOCK YARDS 700 THROUGH, 300 DIRECT; CHICAGO 7,000; KANSAS CITY 1,000; OMAHA 1,800; SIOUX CITY 900.

NAT'L STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES - FRIDAY - APR. 5, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	722	640	11,521	991
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	233	105	9,581	256
PACKER PURCHASES	704	690	3,472	65

LIVESTOCK MARKET QUOTATIONS AND CONDITIONS - SAT. - APRIL 6, 1929

HOGS: (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCL.)	NAT'L STK YDS CLOSING	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A.M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
HVY. WT. (250-350#) MED-CH.	$11.25-11.55	$11.25-11.65	$10.50-11.25	$10.85-11.25
MED. WT. (200-250#) MED-CH.	11.35-11.60	11.25-11.80	10.60-11.40	10.85-11.25
LT. WTS. (160-200#) MED-CH.	11.00-11.60	11.00-11.80	10.65-11.35	10.50-11.25
LT. LTS. (130-160#) MED-CH.	10.00-11.55	10.00-11.70	10.25-11.25	10.00-11.10
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH	9.80-10.30	10.10-10.60	9.25-10.25	10.15-10.65
SLAUGHTER PIGS (90-130#) MED-CH.	8.25-10.25	9.00-11.00	9.00-10.50	-----------
FDR. & STKR PIGS (70-130#) MD-CH.	8.25-10.25	-----------	9.00-10.50	9.00-10.00
AV. COST AND WT. FRI. (PIGS EXC.)	11.27-206#	11.48-231#	10.99-236#	11.00-252#

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET - SATURDAY - APRIL 6, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 10:15 A.M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE FOR THE WEEK APPROXIMATED 9,500, AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 10,000 THE PREVIOUS WEEK; AND TOTAL UNLOADINGS OF 9,560 THE CORRESPONDING WEEK A YEAR AGO.

LIGHT RECEIPTS LOCALLY AND AT MOST ALL OUTSIDE POINTS WERE WITHOUT QUESTION THE LARGEST FACTOR INFLUENCING THE ADVANCES OF CATTLE PRICES DURING THE PAST WEEK. WITH THE TERMINATION OF THE LENTEN SEASON SOME SLIGHT IMPROVEMENT BOTH IN DEMAND AND PRICES OF THE FRESH MEAT TRADE HAS OCCURRED, BUT THE TRADE HAS BEEN SPOTTED AND ON A MORE OR LESS UNCERTAIN BASIS. DURING THE WEEK PRACTICALLY ALL GRADES OF STEERS HAVE BEEN REPRESENTED, EXCEPTING STRICTLY CHOICE KINDS. LIGHTWEIGHT AND YEARLING STEERS HAVE PREDOMINATED, MANY OF THE FORMER BEING "YELLOWHAMMERS". UP UNTIL MIDWEEK QUALITY AND CONDITION WERE RUNNING BELOW THE AVERAGE, BUT SINCE THEN NUMEROUS LOADS OF GOOD QUALITIED MATERIAL HAVE ARRIVED, SOME OF WHICH WERE MEDIUM AND HEAVYWEIGHTS IN A RATHER HIGHLY FINISHED CONDITION. STEERS WERE GRANTED THE DISTINCTION OF MAKING THE LARGEST PRICE ADVANCES OF ANY CLASS DURING THE WEEK. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS SHOWED CONSIDERABLE BETTERMENT ON OPENING DAYS OF THE WEEK, REGAINING NEARLY ALL OF LAST WEEK'S DECLINES, BUT SINCE THEN THERE HAS BEEN A SLIGHT BEARISH TENDENCY TOWARD THIS CLASS, EVEN UNDER LIGHT SUPPLIES. COWS AND ALL CUTTERS GENERALLY MET A HEALTHY DEMAND FROM ALL INTERESTS AT IMPROVED TERMS, WHILE BULLS ADVANCED AT THE WEEK'S OPENING BUT RECEIVED A SET-BACK BEFORE THE WEEK'S CLOSE. VEALER PRICES FLUCTUATED TO SOME EXTENT BUT ARE SHOWING A NET DECLINE FOR THE WEEK.

COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO, STEERS ARE SELLING MOSTLY 50¢ HIGHER, SPOTS 75¢ UP; BULLS STEADY; VEALERS 25¢ LOWER; ALL OTHER KILLING CLASSES 25 TO 50¢ HIGHER, WITH LOWER GRADE MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS AND BETTER GRADE COWS IN GENERAL SHOWING THE MAXIMUM ADVANCE; STOCKER AND FEEDER STEERS STEADY TO STRONG; FEEDING COWS AND HEIFERS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER. TOPS FOR WEEK: 989-LB. YEARLINGS, 1029-LB. LONG YEARLINGS AND 710-LB. HEIFERS $13.85; 1347-LB. STEERS $13.75; 646-LB. MIXED YEARLINGS $13.60; BULKS FOR WEEK: STEERS $11.25 TO $13.35; FAT MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS $12.75 TO $13.50; MEDIUM KINDS $11.50 TO $12.25; COWS $8.50 TO $9.75; LOW CUTTERS $6.00 TO $6.50; STOCKER AND FEEDER STEERS $10.75 TO $12.25; FEEDING COWS $8.00 TO $8.75; HEIFERS $10.00 TO $11.50; GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS AT CLOSE $14.75.

HOGS: RECEIPTS OF HOGS TODAY WERE ESTIMATED AT 3,000 HEAD INCLUDING 1,000 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT. THIS HARDLY LEFT ENOUGH ON SALE TO MAKE A MARKET AND NOT ALL WEIGHTS AND GRADES WERE REPRESENTED. LAST SATURDAY'S RUN WAS 4,218 HEAD AND A YEAR AGO 3,084 ARRIVED. SHIPPING ORDERS WERE VERY SCANTY AND EFFORTS OF SELLERS TO BOOST PRICES WERE MOSTLY WITHOUT RESULTS, BULK OF HOGS SELLING ABOUT IN LINE WITH THE CLOSING TRANSACTIONS OF YESTERDAY OR A LITTLE STRONGER THAN FRIDAY'S AVERAGE. TOP PRICE HELD AT $11.60 WITH BULK OF HOGS SCALING 160 TO 250-LBS. AT $11.50 TO $11.60. NO SALES OF HEAVY HOGS WERE REPORTED BUT BASED ON YESTERDAY'S TRANSACTIONS HOGS SCALING UP CLOSE TO 300 POUNDS WOULD PROBABLY HAVE SOLD NO LOWER THAN $11.40. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS WERE IN LIGHT SUPPLY AND MOST OF THESE WENT ON SHIPPING ORDERS AT STEADY FIGURES. BULK OF 130 TO 150-LB. WEIGHTS MOVED AT $10.00 TO $11.00 WITH PIGS SCALING 130 POUNDS DOWN MOSTLY $8.75 TO $10.00. PACKING SOWS MOSTLY PASSED THROUGH A SPREAD OF $10.15 TO $10.25.

TOTAL RECEIPTS THIS WEEK FOOTED UP AROUND 67,000 COMPARED WITH 66,450 LAST WEEK AND 72,683 CORRESPONDING WEEK LAST YEAR. LIGHT RECEIPTS AT THE WEEK'S OPENING PUSHED VALUES UPWARD UNTIL THE $12.05 LEVEL WAS REACHED ON ONE SESSION. FOLLOWING THIS TIME, HOWEVER, THE SLOW WEAK OUTLET TO EASTERN DRESSED PORK HAD A DEPRESSING EFFECT AND PRICES DROPPED OFF QUITE SHARPLY. SOME RECOVERY WAS NOTED NEAR THE WEEK'S END AND COMPARED WITH LAST SATURDAY PRACTICALLY ALL CLASSES ARE UNCHANGED EXCEPT THAT PIGS ARE WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER.

SHEEP: RECEIPTS OF SHEEP AND LAMBS THIS WEEK TOTALED AROUND 4,750 INCLUDING THOSE BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL MARKETINGS OF 5,357 LAST WEEK AND 4,000 CORRESPONDING WEEK LAST YEAR.

WITH VERY LIGHT SALABLE SUPPLIES HARDLY ENOUGH WERE OFFERED DURING THE LAST HALF OF THE WEEK TO TEST CONDITIONS AND ONLY A FEW LOADS WERE SOLD ON EARLY SESSIONS. TRADE, WHILE UNEVEN, HAS CARRIED A STRONG UNDERTONE ON MOST CLASSES, LAMBS BEING FULLY 25¢ HIGHER THAN LAST WEEK'S CLOSE WHILE YEARLING QUOTATIONS HAVE BEEN RAISED 25 TO 50¢. SHEEP HELD STEADY. THE PROPORTION OF CLIPPED LAMBS HAS INCREASED, IN FACT NOT A SINGLE FULL DECK OF WOOLED LAMBS SOLD THIS WEEK.

ODD LOTS OF WOOLED LAMBS SOLD TO ALL INTERESTS THIS WEEK AT $16.50 TO $17.25, A FEW HEAD EARNING $17.50 ON ACCOUNT OF CITY BUTCHERS. PACKERS PAID $16.25 FOR A DECK OF CHOICE CLIPPED LAMBS, BULK OF SALES RANGING FROM THIS FIGURE DOWN TO $15.60. A DECK OF 93-LB. CLIPPED YEARLINGS SOLD MONDAY AT $13.50 WITH AN END OF 100-LB. CLIPPED TWO-YEAR-OLD WETHERS AT $12.50. MOST OF THE WOOLED EWES SOLD AT $9.00 TO $10.50 ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY, WITH CLIPPED EWES SELLING AT $9.50 DOWNWARD.

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TELEGRAPHIC REPORTS FROM OTHER MARKETS
SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 1929.

OMAHA MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- COMPARED WITH WEEK AGO: SLAUGHTER STEERS AND SHE STOCK UNEVENLY 50¢ TO $1.00 HIGHER; BULLS WEAK; VEALS $1.00 HIGHER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS STRONG; BULKS FOR WEEK: FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.50 TO $13.75; WEIGHTY STEERS $14.10; MEDIUM WEIGHTS $14.25; LIGHT STEERS 1114-LBS. $14.50; HEIFERS $11.50 TO $13.25, SEVERAL LOADS $13.40 TO $13.75; BULK BEEF COWS $8.00 TO $10.00; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.00 TO $7.50; MEDIUM BULLS $8.75 TO $9.15; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $15.00; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $11.25 TO $13.25; STOCK CALVES 464-LBS. $14.10.

HOGS:- STEADY TO STRONG; TOP $11.25 ON 210 TO 240-LB. BUTCHERS; BULK 180 TO 320-LB. WEIGHTS $11.10 TO $11.25; ODD LOTS LIGHT LIGHTS DOWNWARD TO $10.50; PACKING SOWS 10 TO 15¢ HIGHER, $10.35 TO $10.50; FEEDER PIGS $9.50 TO $10.00.

SHEEP:- COMPARED WITH WEEK AGO: FAT LAMBS 50¢ HIGHER; SHEEP AND SHEARING LAMBS STRONG; CLOSING BULKS FED WOOLED LAMBS $16.75 TO $17.00, TOP $17.25; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $15.25; CALIFORNIA SPRINGERS $19.25; WOOLED EWES $10.00 TO $11.00; SHORN EWES $9.00 TO $9.60; SHEARING LAMBS $16.25 TO $16.65.

ST. PAUL MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- COMPARED WEEK AGO: FED STEERS, FAT SHE STOCK AND CUTTERS 25 TO 50¢ HIGHER, SPOTS MORE ON LIGHT HEIFERS AND YEARLING STEERS; BULLS 15 TO 25¢ LOWER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS MOSTLY STEADY; VEALERS $2.00 TO $3.00HIGHER; WEEK'S PRICES: CHOICE HEAVY STEERS $13.50, NEW SEASONS' TOP ON ALL WEIGHTS; YEARLINGS $13.25; BULK ALL STEERS AND YEARLINGS $11.50 TO $12.75; FED COWS $10.25; YEARLING HEIFERS TO $13.00; BULK ALL COMMON AND MEDIUM COWS $7.50 TO $9.00; HEIFERS $9.00 TO $10.25; CUTTERS $6.00 TO $7.00; BULLS $8.25 TO $8.50; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $9.75 TO $10.75; VEALERS AT CLOSE $13.00 TO $16.00, BULK $14.00 TO $14.50.

HOGS:- NOMINALLY STEADY; FEW MIXED LIGHTS AND BUTCHERS $11.15; FEW SOWS $10.00; PIGS $10.75.

SHEEP:- COMPARED WEEK AGO: FAT WOOLED LAMBS 25¢ LOWER, OTHERS AND SHEEP STEADY; BULK FAT WOOLED LAMBS AT CLOSE $16.00 TO $16.50; FAT EWES $9.50 TO $10.50; FEEDING AND SHEARING LAMBS $13.00 TO $15.50.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO: FED STEERS, YEARLINGS AND YEARLING HEIFERS 50¢ TO 75¢ HIGHER; HEAVY HEIFERS AND FAT COWS UP 25 TO 50¢; ALL CUTTERS STEADY; BULLS 25¢ HIGHER; VEALERS 50¢ TO $1.00 HIGHER; WEIGHTY CALVES STEADY; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS STRONG TO MOSTLY 25¢ HIGHER; WEEK'S TOPS: YEARLING STEERS $14.50; YEARLING HEIFERS $14.00; LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT STEERS $14.15; HEAVY STEERS $13.85; LIGHT YEARLING STOCKERS $14.00; BULK PRICES: FED STEERS $12.50 TO $13.75; LIGHT YEARLINGS AND FED HEIFERS $12.00 TO $13.50; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $11.25 TO $13.50; ONLY FLESHY FEEDERS ABOVE $13.00.

HOGS:- FEW GOOD GRADE MEDIUM AND HEAVY WEIGHTS FULLY STEADY; TOP $11.25 ON GOOD 240 TO 260-LB. WEIGHTS; FEW LOADS 240 TO 300-LBS. $10.80 TO $11.25; PACKING SOWS, STAGS AND PIGS SCARCE, NOMINALLY STEADY.

SHEEP:- FOR WEEK: WOOLED LAMBS 75 TO 85¢ HIGHER; CLIPPERS AND SPRINGERS 25 TO 50¢ HIGHER; WEEK'S TOPS: WOOLED LAMBS $17.35; SPRINGERS $18.75; CLIPPERS $15.50; BULK WOOLED LAMBS $16.50 TO $17.25; SPRINGERS $18.00 TO $18.50; CLIPPERS $14.85 TO $15.40; SHEEP STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; TOP WOOLED EWES $10.75; ARIZONA CLIPPED EWES $9.50; BULK SHEARING LAMBS $15.25 TO $15.90.

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- COMPARED WEEK AGO: FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS 50¢ TO $1.00 HIGHER; LIGHT WEIGHT YEARLINGS UP MOST; BETTER GRADES IN BROADER DEMAND THAN COMMON AND MEDIUM KINDS, BUT ALL OFFERINGS BELOW TRADE REQUIREMENTS; SUPPLY FIGURES BEING 25 PER CENT UNDER A WEEK EARLIER; FAT COWS 25 TO 50¢ UP; BUTCHER HEIFERS SHARING YEARLING STEER ADVANCE; CUTTERS 25¢ HIGHER; BULLS STEADY AND VEALERS $3.00 HIGHER; EXTREME TOP $14.75 PAID FOR HEAVIES AND LIGHT MIXED YEARLINGS, MEDIUM WEIGHTS $14.65; HEIFER YEARLINGS $14.00, LARGELY $12.50 TO $14.00; STEER TRADE WITH STOCKERS AND FEEDERS AT $10.75 TO $12.50.

HOGS:- SLOW, MOSTLY STEADY WITH FRIDAY'S AVERAGE; SPOTS 5 TO 10¢ LOWER ON HEAVY BUTCHERS; TOP $11.80 PAID SPARINGLY FOR CLOSELY SORTED AROUND 200-LB. AVERAGES; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE HOGS SCALING FROM 160 TO 240-LBS. $11.60 TO $11.75; 250 TO 320-LB. WEIGHTS $11.35 TO $11.60; A FEW LOADS CARRIED OVER CARRYING BIDS OF $11.25; AN OCCASIONAL LOAD AND NUMEROUS ODD LOTS OF MEDIUM QUALITY 180 TO 230-LB. AVERAGES AT $11.25; MEDIUM 160-LB. WEIGHTS AT $11.00; SHIPPERS TOOK 500; ESTIMATED HOLDOVER 3,000.

SHEEP:- FOR WEEK: 140 DOUBLES FROM FEEDING STATIONS; 24,500 DIRECTS; MILD FLUCTUATIONS LEFT PRICES AROUND 25¢ HIGHER THAN A WEEK AGO ON FAT LAMBS, AGED SHEEP AND SHEARING LAMBS; WEEK'S TOPS: FAT LAMBS $17.75, CLIPPED $16.55; FAT EWES $11.50; SHEARING LAMBS $16.75; WEEK'S BULKS: FAT LAMBS $17.00 TO $17.35; CLIPPED $15.60 TO $16.25; FAT EWES $10.00 TO $11.25; FEEDING AND SHEARING LAMBS $16.00 TO $16.75.

FORT WORTH MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- FOR WEEK: KILLING STEERS 25 TO 50¢ HIGHER; SLAUGHTER YEARLINGS STRONG TO AROUND 25¢ HIGHER; SHE STOCK AND BULLS STEADY TO STRONG; SLAUGHTER CALVES UNCHANGED; BETTER GRADES STOCK CALVES AND YEARLINGS STEADY; PLAINER GRADES RATHER SLOW, TENDING WEAK TO LOWER; WEEK'S TOPS: FED STEERS $13.00; CARLOAD TOP FAT YEARLINGS $13.50, SMALL LOTS UP TO $14.15; PRACTICAL TOP FAT COWS $9.25; HEAVY SLAUGHTER CALVES $12.65; LIGHT WEIGHT STOCK STEERS AND HEAVY STOCK CALVES $13.75; STOCK COWS $9.25; BULKS: BETTER GRADES FAT STEERS $11.75 TO $12.40; SLAUGHTER YEARLINGS $12.10 TO $13.00; BUTCHER COWS $7.25 TO $7.75; CUTTERS AND LOW CUTTERS $5.40 TO $6.50; WEIGHTY SLAUGHTER CALVES $11.00 TO $12.00; STOCK CALVES AND YEARLINGS $12.00 TO $13.25.

HOGS:- STEADY; QUALITY CONSIDERED; RAIL TOP $10.60 PAID FOR LOAD MEDIUM TO GOOD 179-LB. WEIGHTS; PRACTICALLY NOTHING ELSE OFFERED IN RAIL DIVISION; TRUCK TOP $10.25; BULK DESIRABLE 180 TO 240-LB. TRUCK HOGS $10.00 TO $10.25; PACKING SOWS AND PIGS STEADY; PACKING SOWS MOSTLY $8.50 TO $9.00; FEEDER PIGS $7.75 TO $8.00.

SHEEP:- FOR WEEK: SHORN FAT WETHERS 25 TO 50¢ HIGHER; SHORN FAT LAMBS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; FAT YEARLINGS AND FEEDER GRADES STEADY TO STRONG; SPRING LAMBS UNEVENLY LOWER; MEDIUM TO GOOD SPRING LAMBS $15.50 TO $16.00; GOOD TO CHOICE SHORN FAT LAMBS $14.00 TO $14.50; FEW GOOD WOOLED FAT LAMBS $15.75; BULK BETTER GRADES FAT YEARLINGS $12.50; GOOD TO CHOICE SHORN FAT WETHERS $10.00 TO $10.50; TWO YEAR OLD FAT WETHERS UP TO $11.00; BULK SHORN FEEDER LAMBS $11.00 TO $12.25.

HOGS SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL MEAT INSPECTION
WEEKS ENDING FRIDAY APRIL 5, 1929 AND APRIL 6, 1928.

	1929	1928
CHICAGO	122,251	116,685
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS (INC. ST. LOUIS)	43,881	65,228
NEW YORK (INCLUDING JERSEY CITY)	31,874	38,944
OMAHA	48,117	53,200
KANSAS CITY	18,527	91,394
SO. ST. PAUL	40,928	48,226
SIOUX CITY	40,114	* 34,226

* NOTE: 1928 FIGURES AT SIOUX CITY FOR CALENDAR WEEK ENDING APRIL 7.

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET - MONDAY - APRIL 8, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	2,500	1,200	10,000	1,500
CHICAGO	15,000	3,000	30,000	15,000
KANSAS CITY	14,500	2,000	11,000	14,000
OMAHA	9,000	500	14,000	13,000
ST. JOSEPH	2,500	400	3,000	6,500
ST. PAUL	5,300	2,500	11,000	1,300
SIOUX CITY	5,000	300	10,000	3,500
CINCINNATI	1,250	325	5,600	275
INDIANAPOLIS	600	500	5,000	100
PITTSBURGH	850	800	4,500	4,300
BUFFALO	1,300	1,200	7,200	4,800
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	57,800	12,725	111,300	64,275
ONE WEEK AGO	38,800	12,450	95,125	53,650
ONE YEAR AGO	38,700	12,150	88,440	44,150

** INCLUDES 300 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF DIRECT AND THROUGH BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 700 THROUGH, 300 DIRECT; CHICAGO 6,000; OMAHA 2,300; KANSAS CITY 500; ST. JOSEPH 300; SIOUX CITY 400; ST. PAUL 300.

NAT'L STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES - SAT. - APRIL 6, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	215	22	3,327	---
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	227	15	3,733	429
PACKER PURCHASES	14	6	3,077	---

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET - MONDAY - APRIL 8, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 11:30 A.M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 2500 TODAY, AS AGAINST ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 1417 LAST MONDAY, AND 2022 THE CORRESPONDING DAY A YEAR EARLIER.

IT WAS MOSTLY A STEER OFFERING AT THE CATTLE YARDS TODAY AND THE QUALITY AND CONDITION GRADUATED FROM VERY PLAIN, COMMON STOCKER MATERIAL TO A FEW LOADS OF GOOD QUALITIED STEERS CARRYING A HIGHLY DESIRABLE DEGREE OF FINISH. "YELLOWHAMMERS" WERE NUMEROUS IN THE SUPPLY AND TAKEN AS A WHOLE STEERS IN A MEDIUM FLESH CONDITION PREDOMINATED. FROM A GLANCE AT THE INCREASED RECEIPTS AT THE ELEVEN MAJOR MARKETS OVER LAST WEEK, IT WAS EVIDENT FROM THE START THAT THE STEER MARKET WOULD SUFFER SOME DECLINES AND THIS PROVED TO BE THE CASE AS TRADING PROGRESSED. HOWEVER, MANY OF THE SALES HELD TO A STEADY BASIS, WHILE DECLINES OF 10 TO 15¢ AND IN SPOTS 25¢ LOWER WERE ALSO IN EVIDENCE. WEIGHTY STEERS WERE IN FOR RECEIVING THE BRUNT OF THE PRICE HAMMERING AND THESE WERE STILL IN FIRST HANDS SHORTLY BEFORE THE NOON HOUR, WITH INDICATIONS THAT SOME WOULD BE MORE THAN 25¢ LOWER JUDGING FROM THE BUYERS' BIDS AT THAT TIME. A STRAIGHT LOAD OF HEIFERS AND A LOAD OR TWO OF MIXED YEARLINGS TOGETHER WITH SOME ODD LOTS MOVED SLOWLY AT STEADY TO IN SPOTS 25¢ LOWER FIGURES COMPARED WITH THE LATTER DAYS OF THE PREVIOUS WEEK. PACKER BUYERS WERE ATTEMPTING TO CHEAPEN COSTS ON BETTER GRADE COWS ON EARLY ROUNDS BUT UNDER A LIGHT SUPPLY THEIR EFFORTS PROVED FUTILE AND THE MARKET WOUND UP STEADY ON ALL COWS, INCLUDING ALL CUTTERS. BULLS HELD TO A STEADY BASIS, WHILE VEALERS WENT LARGELY TO SHIPPERS AT AN ADVANCE OF 25¢ IN PRICE.

A LOAD OR MORE OF GOOD 1077-LB. STEERS CASHED AT $14.00, A NEW TOP FOR SEVERAL WEEKS, WHILE A LOAD OF 1155-LB. WEIGHTS REACHED $13.75. HEAVY STEERS SCALING 1422 AND 1308-LBS. STOPPED AT $13.25 AND $13.35 RESPECTIVELY, THREE CARS AT THE LATTER PRICE. THE BULK OF ALL STEERS SPREAD FROM $11.50 TO $13.00, A FEW PLAINER KINDS DOWNWARD TO $11.25 OR BELOW. A LOAD OF MIXED YEARLINGS AVERAGING 880-LBS. REACHED $13.50, OTHER LOAD LOTS AT $12.90 AND HEIFERS DOWN TO $11.25. MOST COWS CLEARED AT $8.50 TO $9.75, A FEW LOW CUTTERS $5.75 TO $6.75, WITH CUTTERS UPWARD TO $8.00. THE PRACTICAL TOP ON MEDIUM BULLS WAS $9.25 OTHERS DOWNWARD, WHILE GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WENT AT $15.00 FOR THE TOP AND BULK.

HOGS: HOG TRADE DISPLAYED CONSIDERABLE UNEVENNESS TODAY. EARLY SHIPPING OUTLET WAS BROAD AND ORDER BUYERS AS WELL AS LOCAL BUTCHERS BOUGHT FREELY AT AN ADVANCE TO 25 TO 30¢, BULK OF THE BETTER GRADES FINDING AN OUTLET ON THIS BASIS. DEMAND CENTERED MOSTLY ON MEDIUM WEIGHT HOGS WITH LIGHTS AND LIGHT LIGHTS SELLING RATHER SLOW. WITH EARLY ORDERS FILLED A LULL OCCURRED AFTER WHICH A GOOD SHARE OF THE ADVANCE WAS LOST. PACKERS BOUGHT SPARINGLY AT THE CLOSE WITH LATE TRANSACTIONS ABOUT 15¢ LOWER THAN EARLY CONSIDERING QUALITY AND ON PAPER BUT LITTLE BETTER THAN SATURDAY. AN OCCASIONAL LOAD OF BETTER GRADE HOGS REMAINED UNSOLD LATE WITH UNSATISFACTORY BIDS. BETTER PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS RULED MOSTLY STEADY TO WEAK WHILE LOWER GRADE LIGHT PIGS, SUFFERING FROM SOUTHERN COMPETITION AT LAST WEEK'S CLOSE AND TODAY, SOLD SHARPLY AND UNEVENLY LOWER. LOCAL RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 10,000 HEAD COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 10,877 LAST MONDAY AND 8,939 A YEAR AGO.

EARLY SALES COMPRISED BULK OF BETTER 160 TO 260-LB. WEIGHTS AT $11.75 TO $11.85. TOP PRICE WAS $11.90, REALIZED BY ONE LOAD OF CHOICE 228-LB. AVERAGES. AN OCCASIONAL LOT OF WEIGHTIER HOGS SOLD AT $11.70 DOWNWARD, WITH 350-LB. BUTCHERS AT $11.50. AROUND THE CLOSE MEDIUM TO GOOD 160 TO 270-LB. HOGS SOLD AROUND $11.50 TO $11.65, NOTHING ABLE TO PASS THE LATTER FIGURE AT THE CLOSE. MOST 130 TO 150-LB. LIGHT LIGHTS CASHED AT $10.00 TO $11.00, WITH LESS QUALITIED KINDS LOWER. PIGS OF BETTER QUALITY SCALING 100 TO 130-LBS. EARNED $8.50 TO $10.00 WITH LIGHT PIGS SOMEWHAT LACKING IN QUALITY FROM $8.50 DOWNWARD TO AROUND $7.50, EVEN LOWER IN INSTANCES. PACKING SOWS SOLD ON EARLY ROUNDS AT $10.35 TO $10.50 BUT BULK ALL DAY RANGED FROM $10.25 TO $10.40, LATE SALES MOSTLY $10.25.

SHEEP: RECEIPTS OF SHEEP AND LAMBS WERE ESTIMATED AT 1500 HEAD COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 1435 LAST MONDAY AND 1233 A YEAR AGO. MOST OF THE DAY'S SUPPLIES WERE BILLED THROUGH OR DIRECT, SALABLE SUPPLIES COMPRISING A DOUBLE DECK OF SHORN LAMBS AND A SHORT DECK OF WOOLED LAMBS AND A DECK OF CLIPPED LAMBS FROM A LOCAL FEEDLOT. THE MARKET ON LAMBS APPEARED STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER THAN THE CLOSE OF LAST WEEK, THERE BEING INSUFFICIENT SHEEP TO TEST VALUES. THE WOOLED LAMBS CONSISTED OF 59 HEAD AVERAGING 86-LBS. AND TURNED TO A CITY BUTCHER AT $17.50. ABOUT A DECK OF 69-LB. MEDIUM TO GOOD CLIPPED LAMBS WENT TO A PACKER AT $15.50 WITH A DOUBLE DECK CARRYING LESS FINISH ALSO TO A PACKER AT $15.25. FAT WOOLED EWES, BASED ON LATE SALES, ARE QUOTABLE AT $10.50 DOWN.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS SLOW, STEADY TO WEAK; SHE STOCK AND BULLS STEADY; VEALERS 50¢ LOWER; BULK FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.25 TO $13.50, TOP $14.00; HEIFERS $11.75 TO $13.00; BEEF COWS $8.00 TO $10.00; ALL CUTTERS $6.00 TO $7.50; MEDIUM BULLS $8.50 TO $8.75; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $14.50; STOCKER AND FEEDERS SCARCE, STEADY.
HOGS: SLOW, 5 TO 10¢ HIGHER TO SHIPPERS; TOP $11.35; BULK 190 TO 320-LB. WEIGHTS $11.15 TO $11.30; 150 TO 190-LBS. $10.50 TO $11.25; PACKING SOWS $10.40 TO $10.60; FEEDER PIGS $9.00 TO $10.00.
SHEEP: ALL CLASSES ABOUT STEADY; EARLY SALES FED WOOLED LAMBS TO PACKERS $16.75 TO $17.00; TOP $17.25 TO YARD TRADERS; SMALL LOT CLIPPED LAMBS $14.90; NATIVE SPRINGERS $19.00 DOWN; WOOLED EWES UP TO $11.00; LITTLE DONE ON FEEDING AND SHEARING LAMBS.

4/8/29 2:00 P.M. TRB.

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-:Daily Livestock Market Conditions and Quotations, Monday, April 8, 1929:-

Chicago Market 10:30 A. M.

Cattle:- Early steer trade steady; better grade offerings predominating; most early sales on shipper account; bidding weak to unevenly lower on medium to good grades, supply common and medium offerings small; stockers and feeders strong to 25¢ higher; she stock about steady; bulls unchanged; light vealers 50¢ to $1.00 lower, meager supply strictly good and choice shipper kinds about steady; top long yearlings and weighty steers $14.65; several loads $14.25 to $14.50; sizable proportion steer crop of value to sell at $14.00 upward, not much below $13.00; weighty shipper sausage bulls $9.35 to $9.50, light and medium weight offerings $8.50 to $9.15; light vealers $12.50 to $14.00; shippers up to $16.00 or slightly above.

Hogs:- Opened 10 to 20¢ higher; later market slow, strong to 10¢ higher than Saturday; top $12.00 paid for an occasional load of strictly choice around 200-lb. weights, several loads at $11.90; bulk of good and choice 180 to 250-lb. averages $11.60 to $11.85; 260 to 320-lb. weights $11.50 to $11.70; desirable 130 to 150-lb. averages $10.50 to $11.50; strictly choice 150-lb. weights up to $11.75 and 160-lb. averages $11.90; pigs slow, weak to 25¢ lower, mostly $9.00 to $10.25, choice strong weights up to $10.50 and $10.75; bulk packing sows $10.35 to $10.60, few smooth light weights up to $10.75 and above.

Sheep:- Opening slow; big packers holding back, talking weak to lower; few sales to outsiders fully steady; good to choice 85 to 90-lb. lambs $17.25 to $17.50, choice kinds held around $17.75, few common to medium grades $15.50 to $16.25; good and choice clipped lambs $16.00 to $16.35; sheep steady; top fat ewes $11.50; few shorn kinds $10.00; clipped yearling wethers $14.00; feeding and shearing lambs scarce, quotable steady.

Kansas City Market 11:00 A. M.

Cattle:- Fed steers and yearlings opening slow, weak to 25¢ lower, some bids off more; talking 25¢ or more lower on light yearlings and fed heifers; indications steady to easier on slaughter cows; bulls steady; vealers and calves steady; less desirable quality considered; stockers and feeders comparatively scarce, unchanged; bulk fed steers and yearlings eligible to sell around $12.25 to $13.50; medium bulls of strong weight $8.75 to $9.00; vealers mostly $14.00 down; bulk stockers and feeders $11.50 to $13.00; light stockers averaging 493-lbs. $14.00.

Hogs:- Slow and uneven; opened around 10¢ higher than Friday's average; closing about steady; stock pigs 10 to 25¢ lower; top $11.50 on choice 200 to 225-lbs.; bulk desirable 180 to 260-lbs. $11.25 to $11.45; 270 to 325-lb. weights $10.90 to $11.25; 140 to 170-lbs. $10.25 to $11.25; packing sows $9.50 to $10.35; stock pigs $9.25 to $10.40.

Sheep:- Lambs steady to 15¢ lower; sheep steady; early sales wooled lambs $16.85 to $17.10, best held at $17.35; Arizona spring lambs $18.75 to $19.00, best held at $19.25; shorn lambs $15.25; shorn two year old wethers $13.00; shorn Arizona ewes $9.50, others $9.25.

			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)						
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$11.35-11.60	$11.35-11.75	$10.60-11.35	$10.90-11.35
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	11.45-11.75	11.35-12.00	10.70-11.50	10.90-11.35
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	11.00-11.75	11.00-12.00	10.70-11.50	10.50-11.35
Lt. Lts.	(130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.00-11.65	10.00-11.90	10.25-11.25	10.00-11.15
Packing sows, smooth and rough			9.90-10.40	10.15-10.75	9.25-10.35	10.15-10.65
Slaughter Pigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	8.00-10.25	8.75-10.75	8.75-10.40	----------
Fdr & Stkr. Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	8.00-10.25	----------	8.75-10.40	9.00-10.00
Av. Cost & Wt. Sat. (Pigs Exc)			11.28-215#	11.36-238#	11.04-236#	11.10-252#
Av. Cost & Wt. Week. (Pigs Exc)			11.20-202#	11.50-240#	11.03-241#	11.11-251#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	----------	12.75-14.50	----------	----------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.50-14.25	14.00-14.75	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.25
		Good	12.50-13.50	13.25-14.00	12.25-13.00	12.25-13.25
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.75-14.50	14.00-14.75	13.00-14.25	13.25-14.50
		Good	12.75-13.75	13.25-14.00	12.25-13.25	12.50-13.50
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	13.75-14.75	14.00-15.00	13.25-14.50	13.50-14.75
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.00	12.50-13.50	13.00-13.75
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.50	11.75-12.50	11.75-13.00
		Common	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.00	9.50-11.75	9.25-11.75
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)		Choice	14.00-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.50-14.50	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.25	12.50-13.50	13.00-13.75
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.25	12.50-14.00	12.75-13.75
		Good	12.00-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.50-13.00	12.00-12.75
		Com-Med	8.75-12.25	9.00-12.50	8.25-11.75	8.50-12.00
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	11.25-13.25	11.25-14.00	11.25-13.00	11.25-13.25
		Good	10.25-12.50	10.25-13.50	10.00-12.25	10.00-12.25
		Medium	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.50	8.50-11.50	8.75-11.50
Cows:		Choice	10.25-11.00	10.25-11.00	10.00-11.00	10.25-11.00
		Good	9.50-10.25	9.00-10.25	9.00-10.00	9.25-10.25
		Com-Med	8.00- 9.50	7.75- 9.00	7.25- 9.00	7.50- 9.25
		Low Cut-Cut	5.75- 8.00	6.25- 7.75	5.25- 7.25	6.00- 7.50
Bulls:	(Ylg. Exc. Beef.)	Gd-Ch	9.25-10.50	9.50-10.50	9.00-10.00	9.00-10.25
		Cut-Med	7.50- 9.25	8.00- 9.50	7.00- 9.00	7.50- 9.00
Calves:	(500# dn)	Med-Ch	9.50-12.50	10.00-13.00	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.50
		Cull-Com	6.50- 9.50	7.00-10.00	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.50
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	13.50-15.00	13.00-17.00	11.50-15.00	12.00-14.50
		Medium	11.00-13.50	11.00-13.00	9.00-11.50	11.00-12.00
		Cull-Com	6.00-11.00	6.00-11.00	6.00- 9.00	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	11.75-12.75	11.75-13.25
		Com-Med	9.00-11.50	9.75-11.75	9.25-12.00	9.25-11.75
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	12.00-14.00	12.00-13.75
		Com-Med	8.50-11.50	9.75-11.75	9.00-12.00	9.00-12.00
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	11.00-12.00	9.50-11.25	9.75-11.25	9.50-11.25
		Com-Med	8.50-11.00	8.75- 9.50	7.50- 9.75	7.75- 9.50
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.50- 9.25	6.25- 8.75	7.75- 8.75	7.50- 8.75
		Com-Med	7.50- 8.50	7.75- 8.25	6.75- 7.75	6.25- 7.50
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	----------	----------	12.00-14.00	11.25-14.00
		Medium	----------	----------	10.00-12.00	8.75-11.25
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			QUOTATIONS ON WOOLED BASIS.			
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	15.50-17.50	15.60-17.75	16.00-17.35	16.50-17.25
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	16.50-17.50	16.50-17.75	16.00-17.35	16.25-17.25
	(92# dn)	Medium	15.00-16.50	15.75-16.60	15.00-16.00	15.50-16.50
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	----------	15.50-17.50	15.00-17.00	15.50-17.00
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	11.00-15.00	12.00-15.75	10.50-15.00	11.50-15.50
Yearling Wethers	(110# dn)	Med-Ch	10.50-14.50	11.50-15.50	10.75-15.00	11.00-14.75
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	8.75-10.50	9.25-11.50	8.50-10.75	8.50-11.00
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.25	9.00-11.25	8.25-10.50	8.25-10.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	4.25- 8.75	4.25- 9.25	4.00- 8.50	4.00- 8.50
FEEDING SHEEP AND LAMBS:-						
Feeding Lambs	(Range Stk.)	Gd-Ch	----------	15.00-16.75	----------	14.50-16.00
		Medium	----------	13.25-15.00	----------	13.00-14.50

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DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET - TUESDAY - APRIL 9, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**3,000	**1,800	14,500	2,000
CHICAGO	8,500	3,000	22,000	15,000
KANSAS CITY	7,000	800	10,000	9,000
OMAHA	8,500	500	18,000	14,000
ST. JOSEPH	1,500	500	5,000	5,000
ST. PAUL	1,800	2,200	6,500	800
SIOUX CITY	3,000	200	11,500	2,000
CINCINNATI	350	475	4,000	200
INDIANAPOLIS	1,400	700	8,000	200
PITTSBURG	- - -	50	1,000	1,000
BUFFALO	- - -	250	480	- - -
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	35,050	10,275	100,980	49,200
ONE WEEK AGO	24,150	7,900	77,950	54,400
ONE YEAR AGO	33,955	10,400	86,450	32,050
TO DATE THIS WEEK	92,850	23,000	212,280	113,475
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	62,950	20,350	173,075	103,050
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	72,655	22,550	174,390	76,200

**INCLUDES 550 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 500 THROUGH; CHICAGO 500; KANSAS CITY 1,100; OMAHA 1,100; ST. JOSEPH 150; SIOUX CITY 600; ST. PAUL 500.

NAT'L. STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-MONDAY-APRIL 8, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	2,790	1,540	11,789	1,661
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	613	822	4,328	- - -
PACKER PURCHASES	1,362	733	2,956	1,161

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-TUESDAY-APRIL 9, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:30 P.M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 3,000, AS AGAINST ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 2,220 LAST TUESDAY, AND TOTAL UNLOADINGS OF 3,870 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR. UNEVENNESS FEATURED THE TRADE IN THE CATTLE DIVISION TODAY, DUE NO DOUBT IN PART TO THE INCLEMENT WEATHER WHICH PREVAILED THROUGHOUT THE TRADING SESSION AND TO THE LATE YARDING OF A PART OF THE SUPPLIES. IN THE STEER DEPARTMENT BOTH QUALITY AND CONDITION SHOWED IMPROVEMENT ON THE WHOLE AND THE SUPPLY WAS ONLY MODERATE. FOR THE RANK AND FILE OF THE CROP STEADY PRICES WERE THE RULE BUT SOME OF THE BETTER GRADE BULLOCKS CLEARED ON A STRONGER BASIS WHILE SOME SALES OF LOWER GRADES, INCLUDING A FEW "YELLOWHAMMERS", WERE WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER. MIXED YEARLINGS AND ESPECIALLY HEIFERS WERE OFFERED IN MORE ABUNDANT QUANTITIES, THESE TOGETHER WITH COWS AND ALL CUTTERS SHOWING CONSIDERABLE UNEVENNESS, WITH PRICES RULING ANYWHERE FROM STEADY TO 25¢ AND IN SPOTS MORE LOWER. SUCH KINDS, ESPECIALLY IN THE FIRST TWO GROUPS AS WERE SUITABLE FOR FILLING SPECIFIC ORDERS, WHICH CALLED FOR CERTAIN WEIGHTS AND CONDITION, WERE THE BEST SELLERS. OTHERS WERE MORE OR LESS ON A SLOW AND SOMEWHAT CATCHY BASIS. BULLS WERE SCARCE AND MEDIUM GRADES RECEIVED GOOD INQUIRY FROM PURCHASERS WITH THE RESULT THAT PRICES ON THE BEST MEDIUM KINDS ADVANCED TO A STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER LEVEL THAN THE AVERAGE YESTERDAY. VEALERS LOST GROUND TO THE EXTENT OF 25¢ WITH BOTH PACKERS AND SHIPPERS PARTICIPATING.

BEST LOAD OF LIGHTWEIGHT STEERS TOPPED AT $13.90, WHILE A LOAD OF 993# AVERAGES AND A PART CAR OF 1218# WEIGHTS REACHED $13.75. OTHER DESIRABLE YEARLINGS AND LONG YEARLINGS STOPPED AT $13.50 WITH THE BULK FROM THIS PRICE DOWNWARD TO $11.75, AND SOME LESS DESIRABLE KINDS ON DOWN TO $11.00 OR BELOW. SEVERAL LOADS OF STRAIGHT HEIFERS CASHED AT $12.60 TO $13.75, TWO CARS OF 706# AVERAGES AT THE LATTER PRICE, AND A SMALL CHOICE LOT REACHING $14.00. FOR ALL MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS THE $11.50 TO $13.50 SPREAD WAS POPULAR, WHILE MOST COWS CASHED BETWEEN $8.50 AND $9.50, AND A FEW LOW CUTTERS $5.75 TO $6.50. MEDIUM BULLS WENT AT $9.50 DOWNWARD, ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND CONDITION. THE TOP AND BULK ON VEALERS WAS PLACED AT $14.75 FOR GOOD AND CHOICE KINDS.

HOGS: INCREASING RECEIPTS, COMBINED WITH A DRAGGY LOWER DRESSED PORK TRADE AT EASTERN MARKETS, FORCED A SHARP BREAK IN HOG PRICES. LOCAL RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 14,500, COMPARED WITH 12,715 LAST TUESDAY AND 13,323 A YEAR AGO, WHILE TOTAL AT ELEVEN MARKETS INCREASED MORE THAN 30%, COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO. CONSIDERABLE UNEVENNESS RESULTED AFTER A SLOW OPENING AND THE GENERAL MARKET RULED 25-35¢ LOWER THAN MONDAY'S AVERAGE. ALL INTERESTS BOUGHT FREELY ON THIS BASIS THOUGH WITH BULK OF ORDERS FILLED BEFORE THE SUPPLYOF HOGS WAS EXHAUSTED A MODERATE NUMBER OF CLOSING SALES WERE MADE AT A DISCOUNT OF 35-50¢ FROM YESTERDAY. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS WERE SLOW, 25¢ OR MORE LOWER.

ALL INTERESTS PAID $11.35 TO $11.45 FOR MAJORITY OF ALL 160-300# WEIGHTS. A FEW LOADS EARLY EARNED THE PRACTICAL TOP OF $11.50 AND ONE LOAD OF CHOICE 192# AVERAGES EARNED AN EXTREME HIGH OF $11.60, WHICH APPEARED SOMEWHAT OUT OF LINE WITH THE GENERAL MARKET. AN OCCASIONAL LOAD OF BUTCHERS SCALING AROUND 325# MADE THE $11.25 TERMS. AT THE EXTREME CLOSE SEVERAL LOADS OF GOOD 200-240# HOGS WENT TO PACKERS AT $11.25 WITH NOTHING OVER THIS PRICE LATE. DESIRABLE 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS CASHED AT $9.75 TO $11.00, LATTER PRICE PAID SPARINGLY. MOST 100-130# PIGS MOVED AT $8.00 TO $9.75 WITH LIGHTER WEIGHTS AND SOME LACKING IN QUALITY UNDER THE LOWER FIGURE. MAJORITY OF PACKING SOWS CLEARED AT $10.00 TO $10.10 WITH OCCASIONAL EARLY SALES AT $10.15 AND $10.20.

SHEEP: SHEEP RECEIPTS WERE AGAIN LARGELY ON THROUGH OR DIRECT BILLING, SALABLE SUPPLIES BEING COMPARATIVELY LIGHT. THE RUN WAS ESTIMATED AT 2,000 HEAD, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 513 A WEEK AGO AND 604 CORRESPONDING SESSION LAST YEAR. BULK OF SALABLE SUPPLIES WERE CLIPPED LAMBS AND YEARLINGS, ONLY ODD LOTS OF WOOLED LAMBS BEING INCLUDED. THE MARKET WAS QUOTABLE STEADY TO STRONG ON LAMBS, 25¢ OR MORE HIGHER ON YEARLINGS AND STEADY ON SHEEP. CITY BUTCHERS PAID $16.25 FOR A DOUBLE DECK OF GOOD TO CHOICE 72# CLIPPED LAMBS, OCCASIONAL LOTS OF GOOD GRADE TURNING TO PACKERS AT $15.75. ODD LOTS OF WOOLED LAMBS ON PACKING ACCOUNT REALIZED $17.00 AND DOWN. A SHORT DECK OF 77# SHORN YEARLINGS WENT TO A CITY BUTCHER AT $14.00. FAT WOOLED EWES ARE SALABLE AT $10.50 DOWNWARD ACCORDING TO QUALITY AND WEIGHT, SHORN EWES SELLING UP TO $9.50.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: YLGS & STEERS STEADY TO 15 LOWER; OTHER KILLING CLASSES STEADY; STEERS & YLGS $12.25 TO $13.75; MIXED YLGS $14.00 TO $14.50; HEIFERS $11.75 TO $12.75; BEEF COWS $8.00 TO $10.00; ALL CUTTERS $6.00 TO $7.50; BULLS $8.35 TO $8.85; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $14.50; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $11.50 TO $13.50; FEW YLGS TO $15.50.

HOGS: ACTIVE, 10 TO 25¢ LOWER THAN MONDAY'S CLOSE; TOP $10.90; BULK 170 TO 350-LBS. $10.75 TO $10.90; LIGHT LIGHTS DOWN TO $10.25; PACKING SOWS $10.00 TO $10.10; SMOOTH GRADES UPWARD TO $10.25; FEEDER PIGS SCARCE.

SHEEP: LAMBS MOSTLY 25¢ LOWER; SHEEP STEADY; FEEDERS STEADY TO STRONG; BULK FED WOOLED LAMBS $16.50 TO $17.00, TOP $17.10; CLIPPED LAMBS $15.25; WOOLED EWES $11.00 DOWN; FEEDING LAMBS $16.25 DOWN; SHEARING LAMBS $16.35 TO $16.60.

4/9/29 2:00 P.M. ACA

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, TUESDAY, APRIL 9, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- Fed steers and yearlings steady to weak; better grades mostly steady; trade less active than Monday, uneven; killing quality much plainer; cows weak; bulls about steady; strictly good and choice vealers scaling 150-lbs. upward steady, others 50¢ to 75¢ lower; best medium weight steers $14.60, heavies $14.40 and mixed yearlings $14.50; bulk steers and yearlings selling at $12.50 to $13.75, sprinkling down to $11.00; stockers and feeders firm, mostly $10.75 to $12.25; shipper vealers $15.00 to $16.00, bidding $12.00 to $13.00 on light kinds, prospects $12.50 to $13.50.

HOGS:- Very slow, mostly 20 to 30¢ lower; big packers bidding sharply lower; top $11.55 paid for two loads of around 200-lb. weights; early bulk of desirable 160 to 230-lb. weights $11.30 to $11.50; 240 to 300-lb. averages $11.15 to $11.30; strictly choice loads at inside weight up to $11.40; light lights and pigs 25 to 40¢ lower; bulk of good and choice 130 to 150-lb. averages $10.25 to $11.00; choice 150-lb. weights up to $11.25; pigs mostly $8.75 to $9.75; bulk packing sows $10.00 to $10.25, a few light weights at $10.35 and above.

SHEEP:- Market opening slow, few early sales around steady; some bids shade lower; outside interests working sparingly; few good to choice 88 to 92-lb. woolskins $17.25 to $17.40, choice sorted kinds held above $17.50; few good to choice 85-lb. clipped lambs $15.60; choice light weights held around $16.50; sheep scarce; few clipped ewes $10.00; feeding and shearing lambs steady, few $16.50.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- Fed steers and yearlings suitable for shipping steady to strong, other fed steers and ~~light yearlings~~ slow, around steady with Monday's decline; slaughter cows and bulls fully steady; vealers firm, spots higher; weighty calves barely steady; stockers and feeders comparatively scarce, fully steady; three loads choice 1105-lb. steers $14.00; choice heavy steers $13.50 and $13.75; yearling steers and mixed yearlings $13.75; short loads choice yearling steers held above $14.00; bulk fed steers and yearlings eligible to sell around $12.25 to $13.35; fed heifers mostly $11.50 to $12.75; butcher cows $8.50 to $10.00; all cutters $5.50 to $7.25; medium bulls of strong weight $8.75 to $9.00; veal top $15.00; bulk stockers and feeders $11.50 to $13.00; best stockers $13.40.

HOGS:- Very slow, uneven; early shipper trade mostly 25¢ lower than Monday's average; big packers talking 25 to 40¢ lower; stock pigs steady to weak; top $11.25 on one load choice 210-lbs.; early sales desirable 180 to 240-lbs. mostly $11.00 to $11.15; few 250 to 270-lb. butchers $10.85 to $11.00; 140 to 170-lbs. $10.00 to $11.00; packing sows $9.00 to $10.00; stock pigs $9.25 to $10.35.

SHEEP:- Lambs and spring lambs steady; sheep and shorn lambs 15 to 25¢ higher; top wooled lambs $17.35, most sales $17.00 to $17.10; best clippers $15.65, others $15.40 to $15.50; Arizona spring lambs $19.25; shorn Arizona ewes $10.00; wooled ewes $10.50.

			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
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Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	11.15-11.45	11.00-11.55	10.50-11.25	10.50-10.90
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	10.75-11.45	10.75-11.55	10.50-11.20	10.25-10.90
Lt. Lts.	(130-160#)	Med-Ch	9.75-11.40	9.75-11.50	10.00-10.90	9.75-10.75
Packing sows, smooth and rough			9.70-10.20	10.00-10.40	9.00-10.10	9.75-10.25
Slaughter Pigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	7.75-10.00	8.50-10.50	8.75-10.35	----------
Fdr & Stkr. Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	7.50-10.00	----------	8.75-10.35	9.00-10.00
Av. Cost & Wt. Mon. (Pigs Exc)			11.43-182#	11.49-240#	11.07-239#	11.02-255#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	----------	12.75-14.50	----------	----------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.50-14.25	14.00-14.85	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.10
		Good	12.50-13.50	13.25-14.00	12.25-13.00	12.25-13.25
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.75-14.50	14.00-14.85	13.00-14.25	13.25-14.50
		Good	12.75-13.75	13.25-14.00	12.25-13.25	12.50-13.50
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	13.75-14.75	14.00-15.00	13.25-14.50	13.50-14.75
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.00	12.50-13.50	13.00-13.75
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.25	11.50-12.50	11.75-13.00
		Common	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.00	9.00-11.50	9.25-11.75
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)		Choice	14.00-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.50-14.50	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.25	12.50-13.50	13.00-13.75
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.25	12.25-13.75	12.75-13.75
		Good	12.00-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.50-12.75	12.00-12.75
		Com-Med	8.75-12.25	9.00-12.50	8.25-11.75	8.50-12.00
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	11.25-13.25	11.25-14.00	11.25-13.00	11.25-13.25
		Good	10.25-12.50	10.25-13.50	10.00-12.25	10.00-12.25
		Medium	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.50	8.50-11.50	8.75-11.50
Cows:		Choice	10.25-10.75	10.00-11.00	10.00-11.00	10.25-11.00
		Good	9.50-10.25	9.00-10.00	9.00-10.00	9.25-10.25
		Com-Med	7.75- 9.50	7.50- 9.00	7.25- 9.00	7.50- 9.25
		Low Cut-Cut	5.75- 7.75	6.25- 7.50	5.25- 7.25	6.00- 7.50
Bulls:	(Ylg. Exc. Beef.)	Gd-Ch	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.50	9.00-10.00	9.00-10.25
		Cut-Med	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.60	7.00- 9.00	7.50- 9.00
Calves:	(500# dn)	Med-Ch	9.50-12.50	10.00-13.00	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.50
		Cull-Com	6.50- 9.50	7.00-10.00	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.50
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	13.25-14.75	12.50-16.50	11.50-15.00	12.00-14.50
		Medium	10.75-13.25	11.00-12.50	9.00-11.50	11.00-12.00
		Cull-Com	6.00-10.75	8.00-11.00	6.00- 9.00	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	11.75-12.75	11.75-13.25
		Com-Med	9.00-11.50	9.75-11.75	9.25-12.00	9.25-11.75
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	12.00-14.00	12.00-13.75
		Com-Med	8.50-11.50	9.75-11.75	9.00-12.00	9.00-12.00
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	11.00-12.00	9.50-11.25	9.75-11.25	9.50-11.25
		Com-Med	8.50-11.00	8.75- 9.50	7.50- 9.75	7.75- 9.50
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.50- 9.25	8.25- 8.75	7.75- 8.75	7.50- 8.75
		Com-Med	7.50- 8.50	7.75- 8.25	6.75- 7.75	6.25- 7.50
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	----------	----------	12.00-14.00	11.25-14.00
		Medium	----------	----------	10.00-12.00	8.75-11.25
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-				QUOTATIONS ON WOOLED BASIS.		
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	16.50-17.50	16.60-17.75	16.00-17.35	16.25-17.10
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	16.50-17.50	16.50-17.75	16.00-17.35	16.00-17.10
	(92# dn)	Medium	15.00-16.50	15.75-16.60	15.00-16.00	15.25-16.25
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	----------	15.50-17.50	15.00-17.00	15.25-16.90
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	11.00-15.00	12.00-15.75	10.50-15.00	11.50-15.25
Yearling Wethers	(110# dn)	Med-Ch	10.75-15.00	11.50-15.50	11.00-15.25	11.00-14.75
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	8.75-10.50	9.25-11.50	8.50-11.00	8.50-11.00
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.25	9.00-11.25	8.25-10.75	8.25-10.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	4.25- 8.75	4.25- 9.25	4.00- 8.50	4.00- 8.50
FEEDING SHEEP AND LAMBS:-						
Feeding Lambs	(Range Stk.)	Gd-Ch	----------	15.00-16.75	----------	14.50-16.25
		Medium	----------	13.25-15.00	----------	13.00-14.50

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DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET - WEDNESDAY - APRIL 10, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**1,800	**1,000	8,500	500
CHICAGO	7,000	2,000	16,000	16,000
KANSAS CITY	4,200	500	8,000	7,000
OMAHA	4,500	300	12,000	9,000
ST. JOSEPH	2,600	400	5,000	5,000
ST. PAUL	2,500	3,500	9,500	500
SIOUX CITY	2,000	1,000	7,000	1,500
CINCINNATI	275	625	2,400	100
INDIANAPOLIS	700	600	6,000	100
PITTSBURG	- - -	150	2,500	750
BUFFALO	125	100	1,600	600
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	25,700	10,175	78,500	41,050
ONE WEEK AGO	32,350	10,600	100,860	42,350
ONE YEAR AGO	35,600	11,025	92,030	31,550
TO DATE THIS WEEK	118,550	33,175	290,780	154,525
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	95,300	30,930	273,935	150,400
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	108,255	33,575	266,920	107,750

**INCLUDES 200 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 500 THROUGH AND 250 DIRECT; CHICAGO 3,000; KANSAS CITY NONE; OMAHA 1,200; ST. JOSEPH 100; SIOUX CITY 400; ST. PAUL NONE.

NAT'L. STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES---TUESDAY-APRIL 9, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	2,950	1,663	15,576	1,954
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	718	619	5,646	492
PACKER PURCHASES	2,141	1,333	6,284	837

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-WEDNESDAY-APRIL 10, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P. M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 1,800, AS AGAINST A TOTAL OF 2,587 BY ACTUAL COUNT LAST WEDNESDAY, AND UNLOADINGS OF 1,785 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR. WITH SUPPLIES RUNNING EXCEPTIONALLY LIGHT IT WAS A VERY SHORT SESSION TODAY IN THE CATTLE DIVISION, AN ALMOST COMPLETE CLEARANCE HAVING BEEN MADE LONG BEFORE THE NOON HOUR. STEERS COMPRISED A GOOD SHARE OF THE RUN, THE MOST OF THESE BEING OF QUALITY AND CONDITION TO GRADE LOW MEDIUM, WITH ONLY TWO LOADS OF LONG YEARLINGS IN THE GOOD CLASSIFICATION. STEERS AND ALL COWS CLEARED ACTIVELY ON A FULLY STEADY TO STRONG BASIS WITH SPOTS HIGHER AND WILL SHOW LITTLE IF ANY CHANGE AT PRESENT FROM THE CLOSE OF THE PREVIOUS WEEK. THE SAME THING MAY BE SAID OF MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS, THESE SELLING TODAY AT STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER LEVELS, THERE BEING SEVERAL LOADS OF THESE OFFERED TODAY, A FEW OF WHICH HAD BEEN HELD OVER FROM YESTERDAY. ~~THERE WAS A GOOD DEMAND FOR THE LIMITED NUMBER OF COWS AND THEREFORE BUYERS SHOWED~~ VERY LITTLE HESITANCY ABOUT EVENING UP ANY OF THE LOSSES WHICH HAD OCCURED PREVIOUSLY. BULLS WERE LIMITED TO A VERY SCATTERED SHOWING AND WERE SNAPPED UP READILY AT FULLY STEADY PRICES, BUT IT REQUIRED A LONG DRAWN OUT BARGAINING SESSION TO ESTABLISH PRICES ON VEALERS. THE FINAL RESULT BEING A 25¢ LOSS COMPARED WITH TUESDAY.

OUTSTANDING AMONG THE STEER QUOTA WAS A LOAD OF 948# LONG YEARLINGS WHICH CASHED AT $13.60. ANOTHER LOAD AVERAGING 946# TURNED AT $13.25. THE BULK OF THE MEDIUM GRADES WERE CONFINED WITHIN THE NARROW SPREAD OF $12.00 TO $12.25, A FEW PLAINER KINDS DOWNWARD TO $11.50 OR BELOW. SEVERAL LOADS OF MOSTLY LIGHT WEIGHT MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS RANGED FROM $11.00 TO $13.75, THIS RANGE ALSO INCLUDING THE BULK. A FEW CHOICE COWS SOLD UPWARD TO $11.00, WHILE THE RANK AND FILE OF THE CROP WENT AT $8.50 TO $9.75, AND A FEW LOW CUTTERS LARGELY $6.25 TO $6.75. MEDIUM BULLS TURNED AT $9.50 AND DOWN, WITH GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS GOING TO PACKERS AND SHIPPERS AT $14.50.

HOGS: HOG RECEIPTS AT THIS POINT DROPPED OFF SHARPLY FROM THE RUNS OF EARLY IN THE WEEK AND TOTAL MARKETINGS AT ELEVEN POINTS FELL WELL SHORT OF THE RUNS OF A WEEK AGO. HOWEVER DRESSED PORK IN THE EAST CONTINUED SLOW AND WEAK AND OTHER MARKETS FELL TO VERY LOW LEVELS YESTERDAY WITH RESULTANT SCANTY OUTSIDE ORDERS LOCALLY. AFTER A VERY SLOW OPENING SHIPPERS AND BUTCHERS BOUGHT HOGS ON A BASIS ABOUT STEADY WITH TUESDAY'S AVERAGE. PACKERS STARTED BUYING ABOUT MID-SESSION AND THE LIGHT RUN WAS QUICKLY CLEANED UP WITH THE CLOSE STRONG WITH YESTERDAY'S AVERAGE AND AS MUCH AS 10¢ ABOVE THE LOW CLOSE OF THE PRECEDING SESSION. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS FOUND A NARROW OUTLET AT STEADY FIGURES AND A FEW LOTS WERE UNSOLD LATE. LOCAL RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 8,500 HEAD COMPARED WITH ACTUAL MARKETINGS OF 14,696 LAST WEDNESDAY AND 14,462 SIMILAR DAY A YEAR AGO. TOTAL AT ELEVEN MARKETS WAS 25% SHORT OF A WEEK AGO.

A NARROW SPREAD INCLUDED BULK OF ALL 160-260# WEIGHTS, THESE SELLING TO ALL INTERESTS AT $11.35 TO $11.45, COMPARATIVELY FEW GOING AT THE LOWER FIGURE. TOP PRICE WAS $11.50 PAID FOR A LIMITED NUMBER OF LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHTS. A FEW SMALL LOTS AND AN OCCASIONAL LOAD OF HEAVIER HOGS SOLD DOWNWARD TO $11.25. MAJORITY OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS REALIZED $9.75 TO $10.75, A FEW BETTER ONE FIFTIES UP TO $11.00. MAJORITY OF 90-130# PIGS PASSED THROUGH A SPREAD OF $8.00 TO $9.75, STRONG ONE THIRTIES REACHING $10.00 IN A FEW INSTANCES. BULK OF PACKING SOWS TURNED AT $10.00 TO $10.15, A FEW ODD LOTS EARNING $10.20 AND $10.25.

SHEEP: RECEIPTS OF SHEEP AND LAMBS TODAY WERE ESTIMATED AT 500 HEAD COMPARED WITH ACTUAL MARKETINGS OF 1,230 LAST WEDNESDAY AND 396 CORRESPONDING SESSION LAST YEAR. PRACTICALLY ALL OF THE SALABLE SUPPLIES CONSISTED OF CLIPPED LAMBS WITH A SPRINKLING OF SHORN EWES. NO WOOLED STOCK WAS INCLUDED. THE MARKET WAS FAIRLY ACTIVE ON THE LIMITED SHOWING AND ALL CLASSES WERE QUOTED STEADY WITH TUESDAY. PACKERS PURCHASED SEVEAL LOTS OF GOOD SHORN LAMBS AVERAGING 72-74# AT $15.75 AND A LOT OF 119 HEAD OF 83# LAMBS CARRYING SLIGHTLY LESS FINISH AT $15.50. CULL SHORN LAMBS ARE QUOTABLE AROUND $10.00 TO $13.00. ODD LOTS OF CLIPPED EWES REALIZED $8.00 TO $9.50, BETTER WOOLED EWES BEING ELIGIBLE TO $10.50.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: ALL KILLING CLASSES ACTIVE; STEADY TO STRONG; SPOTS SHADE HIGHER ON YEARLINGS AND LIGHT STEERS; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS SCARCE, STEADY; BULK FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.50 TO $13.75; CHOICE WEIGHTY STEERS AROUND 1470# $13.35; SEVERAL LOADS LIGHT WEIGHTS UP TO $14.15; 1114# WEIGHTS $14.25; HEIFERS $12.00 TO $13.50; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00 TO $10.25; CHOICE LOTS UP TO $11.00; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.00 TO $7.50; MEDIUM BULLS $8.35 TO $9.00; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $14.50.

HOGS: MOSTLY 10-20¢ HIGHER TO SHIPPERS; TOP $11.10 ON 220-240# BUTCHERS; SOME HELD HIGHER; BULK 180-300# AVERAGES $10.90 TO $11.10; LIGHT LIGHTS DOWNWARD TO $10.25; PACKING SOWS $10.15 TO $10.40; FEEDER PIGS $9.25 TO $10.00.

SHEEP: LAMBS 25-40¢ HIGHER; SHEEP AND FEEDERS STEADY; BULK FED WOOLED LAMBS $17.00 TO $17.25; TOP $17.50; CHOICE 79# FED CLIPPED LAMBS $16.00; SHORN EWES $9.75 DOWN; NO CHOICE WOOLED EWES INCLUDED; SHEARING LAMBS $16.50.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS STEADY TO STRONG; SHE STOCK FULLY STEADY; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS FIRM; BULLS WEAK TO 15¢ LOWER; STRICTLY GOOD AND CHOICE SHIPPER VEALERS ABOUT STEADY; LIGHT KINDS 50¢ LOWER; KILLING QUALITY FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS IMPROVED OVER TUESDAY, BULK EARLY SALES $12.75 TO $14.25; BEST WEIGHTY STEERS $14.60, MEDIUM WEIGHTS $14.80; MIXED YEARLINGS, MOSTLY HEIFERS, $14.50; GOOD TO CHOICE LIGHT HEIFER AND MIXED YEARLINGS SLOWEST SELLERS IN GENERAL STEER AND YEARLING LIST; WEIGHTY SAUSAGE BULLS ON SHIPPER ACCOUNT UP TO $9.50; LIGHT KINDS $8.50 TO $9.00; BIDDING $12.00 TO $13.00 ON LIGHT VEALERS WITH SHIPPER KINDS VERY SCARCE, ABOVE $15.00.

HOGS:- OPENED STEADY TO STRONG; LATER TRADE STRONG TO 10¢ HIGHER IN COMPARISON WITH TUESDAY'S AVERAGE; TOP $11.60 PAID FOR A LOAD OF OUTSTANDING 237-LB. WEIGHTS; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 160 TO 240-LB. AVERAGES $11.35 TO $11.50; 250 TO 350-LB. WEIGHTS $11.25 TO $11.40; CHOICE LIGHT LIGHTS AND PIGS SCARCE; BULK OF BETTER GRADE 130 TO 150-LB. AVERAGES $10.25 TO $11.00; PIGS MOSTLY $9.00 TO $10.00, CHOICE STRONG WEIGHTS UP TO $10.50; PACKING SOWS LARGELY $10.15 TO $10.35, FEW UP TO $10.50 AND $10.60.

SHEEP:- OPENING VERY SLOW; OUTSIDE INTERESTS INACTIVE; GENERALLY ASKING STEADY; FEW EARLY BIDS AROUND 25¢ LOWER; CHOICE FAT LAMBS HELD AROUND $17.50; SCATTERED DECKS CLIPPED LAMBS UNSOLD; SHEEP STEADY TO STRONG; EARLY TOP FAT EWES $11.50; FEW CHOICE CLIPPED EWES $10.50; FEEDING AND SHEARING LAMBS STEADY, FEW 72-LB. SHEARERS $16.50.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- FED STEERS FAIRLY ACTIVE, STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; PRACTICALLY ALL OF WEEK'S EARLY DECLINE REGAINED; OTHER KILLING CLASSES STEADY TO STRONG; SOMEWHAT DRAGGY ON THE INBETWEEN GRADES OF LIGHT MIXED YEARLINGS AND FED HEIFERS; VEALERS STEADY TO STRONG; WEIGHTY CALVES FULLY STEADY; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS UNCHANGED; SEVERAL LOADS CHOICE LIGHT WEIGHT STEERS $14.00; MEDIUM WEIGHT AND HEAVY STEERS $13.75; BULK DESIRABLE FED OFFERINGS SELLING UPWARD FROM $12.50; OFF QUALITY LIGHT WEIGHTS $11.50 TO $12.25; MIXED YEARLINGS AND FED HEIFERS $13.65, OTHER LESS DESIRABLE LOTS $11.50 TO $12.75; BULK BUTCHER COWS $8.50 TO $10.00; ALL CUTTERS $5.75 TO $7.25; MEDIUM BULLS OF STRONG WEIGHT $8.75 TO $9.00; VEALERS MOSTLY $15.00 DOWN.

HOGS:- ACTIVE, STRONG TO 10¢ HIGHER THAN TUESDAY'S AVERAGE OR 15 TO 25¢ ABOVE THE EXTREME CLOSE; STOCK PIGS STEADY; TOP $11.15 ON 200 TO 230-LBS.; BULK DESIRABLE 170 TO 325-LB. WEIGHTS $10.80 TO $11.10; 140 TO 160-LBS. $10.25 TO $10.80; PACKING SOWS $9.25 TO $10.25; STOCK PIGS $9.25 TO $10.35.

SHEEP:- KILLING CLASSES STEADY TO STRONG; TOP WOOLED LAMBS $17.25, MOST SALES $17.00 TO $17.25; CLIPPERS $15.35 TO $15.65; CHOICE ARIZONA SPRING LAMBS $19.40; SHORN ARIZONA EWES $10.00.

HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$11.20-11.45	$11.00-11.45	$10.60-11.10	$10.65-11.10
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	11.20-11.50	11.00-11.60	10.75-11.15	10.65-11.10
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	10.75-11.50	10.75-11.50	10.60-11.15	10.40-11.10
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	9.75-11.45	9.75-11.50	10.10-10.90	10.00-10.90
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.75-10.25	10.00-10.50	9.25-10.25	9.90-10.40
SLAUGHTER PIGS (90-130#)		MED-CH	7.75-10.00	8.50-10.50	8.75-10.35	----------
FDR & STKR. PIGS (70-130#)		MED-CH	7.50-10.00	----------	8.75-10.35	9.00-10.00
AV. COST & WT. TUES. (PIGS EXC)			11.20-205#	11.20-239#	10.77-240#	10.74-259#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	----------	12.75-14.50	----------	----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.50-14.25	14.00-14.35	13.25-14.00	13.25-14.10
		GOOD	12.50-13.50	13.25-14.00	12.50-13.25	12.25-13.25
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.50	14.00-14.85	13.25-14.25	13.25-14.50
		GOOD	12.75-13.75	13.25-14.00	12.50-13.50	12.50-13.50
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.75	14.00-15.00	13.50-14.50	13.50-14.75
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.00	12.75-13.75	13.00-13.75
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.25	11.75-12.75	11.75-13.00
		COMMON	9.50-12.00	9.75-12.00	9.50-11.75	9.25-11.75
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	14.00-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.50-14.50	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.25	12.50-13.50	13.00-13.75
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	13.25-14.25	13.50-14.40	12.25-13.75	12.75-13.75
		GOOD	12.25-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.50-12.75	12.00-12.75
		COM-MED	8.75-12.50	9.00-12.50	8.25-11.50	8.50-12.00
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	11.25-13.50	11.25-14.00	11.25-13.00	11.25-13.50
		GOOD	10.25-12.75	10.25-13.50	10.00-12.25	10.00-12.50
		MEDIUM	9.00-12.00	9.50-12.50	8.50-11.50	9.00-11.75
COWS:		CHOICE	10.25-11.00	10.00-11.00	10.25-11.00	10.25-11.00
		GOOD	9.50-10.25	9.00-10.00	9.15-10.25	9.25-10.25
		COM-MED	8.00- 9.50	7.50- 9.00	7.50- 9.15	7.50- 9.25
		LOW CUT-CUT	5.75- 8.00	6.25- 7.50	5.50- 7.50	6.00- 7.50
BULLS: (YLG.EXC.BEEF.)		GD-CH	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.50	9.00-10.00	9.00-10.25
		CUT-MED	7.50- 9.50	7.75- 9.50	7.00- 9.00	7.50- 9.00
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	9.50-12.50	10.00-13.00	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.50
		CULL-COM	6.50- 9.50	7.00-10.00	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.50
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	13.00-14.50	12.00-16.00	12.00-15.50	12.00-14.50
		MEDIUM	10.50-13.00	10.50-12.00	9.00-12.00	11.00-12.00
		CULL-COM	6.00-10.50	8.00-10.50	6.00- 9.00	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	11.75-12.75	11.75-13.25
		COM-MED	9.00-11.50	9.75-11.75	9.25-12.00	9.25-11.75
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	12.00-14.00	12.00-13.75
		COM-MED	8.50-11.50	9.75-11.75	9.00-12.00	9.00-12.00
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	11.00-12.00	9.50-11.25	9.75-11.25	9.50-11.25
		COM-MED	8.50-11.00	8.75- 9.50	7.50- 9.75	7.75- 9.50
COWS:		GD-CH	8.50- 9.25	8.25- 8.75	7.75- 8.75	7.50- 8.75
		COM-MED	7.50- 8.50	7.75- 8.25	6.75- 7.75	6.25- 7.50
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	----------	----------	12.00-14.00	11.25-14.00
		MEDIUM	----------	----------	10.00-12.00	8.75-11.25
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			QUOTATIONS ON WOOLED BASIS.			
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	16.50-17.50	16.60-17.65	16.00-17.35	16.50-17.50
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	16.50-17.50	16.50-17.65	16.00-17.35	16.25-17.50
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	15.00-16.50	15.75-16.60	15.00-16.00	15.50-16.50
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	----------	15.50-17.40	15.00-17.00	15.50-17.25
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	11.00-15.00	12.00-15.75	10.50-15.00	11.75-15.50
YEARLING WETHERS (110# DN)		MED-CH	10.75-15.00	11.50-15.50	11.00-15.25	11.00-14.75
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	8.75-10.50	9.25-11.50	8.50-11.00	8.50-11.00
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	8.25-10.25	9.00-11.25	8.25-10.75	8.25-10.75
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	4.25- 8.75	4.25- 9.25	4.00- 8.50	4.00- 8.50
FEEDING SHEEP AND LAMBS:-						
FEEDING LAMBS (RANGE STK.)		GD-CH	----------	15.00-16.75	----------	14.50-16.25
		MEDIUM	----------	13.25-15.00	----------	13.00-14.50

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National Stock Yards, Illinois

Daily Report of Livestock Market - Thursday - April 11, 1929.

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
National Stock Yards	**1,500	**600	8,000	250
Chicago	6,000	4,000	20,000	11,000
Kansas City	1,200	300	3,500	8,000
Omaha	1,500	100	6,500	11,000
St. Joseph	450	50	1,500	8,000
St. Paul	2,300	1,200	[illegible],000	400
Sioux City	1,000	100	3,500	1,500
Cincinnati	200	550	2,500	125
Indianapolis	500	400	3,500	100
Pittsburg	10	100	2,000	500
Buffalo	50	175	1,760	300
Total 11 markets	14,710	7,575	56,730	41,175
One week ago	25,870	9,390	96,400	38,700
One year ago	15,000	10,300	81,100	35,675
To date this week	133,260	40,750	347,540	195,700
Same period last week	121,170	40,340	370,335	139,100
Same period last year	126,255	43,975	348,020	143,425

**Run includes 500 cattle and calves on through billing. Today's estimated hog receipts include estimated unloads of through and direct billed hogs as follows: National Stock Yards 700 through and 100 direct; Chicago 5,000; Kansas City 650; Omaha 1,500; St. Joseph 400; Sioux City 100; St. Paul 160.

Nat'l. Stock Yards Receipts, Shipments and Packer Purchases-Wednesday-April 10, 1929.

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Actual receipts	1,301	1,096	9,800	299
Total shipments	329	400	2,542	149
Packer purchases	1,293	916	3,905	442

National Stock Yards Livestock Market-Thursday-April 11, 1929
(Based on Market Conditions and Sales Reported up to 1:00 P.M.)

CATTLE: Receipts of cattle were estimated at 1,500 today, as against actual arrivals of 2,347 last Thursday, and a total of 2,185 the corresponding day last year. With the exception of vealers, steers, mixed yearlings and heifers were about the only classes which were offered in sufficient numbers to fully test market conditions and these were in moderately light supply. A steady to strong market ruled throughout and generally speaking prices are hitting right at a new high point for the season on everything, vealers excluded. In the steer division the supply was entirely lightweight steers and yearlings, mostly medium grades and a few loads capable of grading good. Some of the material was late in arriving, and this prolonged the session somewhat, but buyers evidently needed a few cattle and there was not much hesitancy on their part in making their purchases at the prevailing terms, which resulted in a fairly complete clearance at an early hour in spite of the delay. Mixed yearlings and heifers turned readily under a good demand, while the limited supply of cows were eagerly snapped up by all interests. The scattering of medium bulls were sought by many trying to fill their week-end orders and prices on these remained at the high point of the season. The vealer market received a substantial boost in values to the extent of 50¢, these going largely on shipper account.

While small lots of yearling steers registered \$14.00 to \$14.50, the top on load lots was made by two cars of light steers averaging 1071#, which stopped at \$13.75. A load of 924# yearlings went at \$13.50, while the bulk of all steers ranged from \$11.60 to \$12.65. Mixed yearlings and heifers cleared largely at \$11.50 to \$13.50, the latter price taking two loads of light mixed material. Most cows were confined to a spread of \$8.50 to \$9.75, a few low cutters \$6.25 to \$7.00, and cutters upward to \$8.00. Medium bulls sold downward from \$9.50, while butcher kinds started from this figure and upward to \$10.00 or above. Good and choice vealers cashed at \$15.00 for the top and bulk.

HOGS: Sharply curtailed receipts assisted sellers in obtaining higher prices for hogs today. Early sales were made on the account of shippers and butchers at an advance of 15-25¢ but with all interests operating actively at mid-session the close was strong with the upturn mostly 25¢ above Wednesday's average. An early clearance was effected. Pigs and light lights were in light supply and a moderate demand boosted these values mostly in line with transactions on hogs though a few sales were on no better than a steady to strong basis. Packing sows encountered a limited demand and sold at an advance of mostly 10¢. Local receipts were estimated at 8,000 head, including 800 billed through and direct, compared with actual arrivals of 14,423 last Thursday and 13,790 corresponding session last year. Total at eleven markets was over 40% short of last Thursday's marketings.

It was practically an \$11.60 to \$11.65 market for bulk of 160-260# hogs, all interests paying these prices. Several loads of light and medium weight butchers turned at \$11.70 with the extreme high price of \$11.75 taking a load of choice 183# averages. One load of butchers averaging 252# but somewhat lacking in quality earned \$11.55. Practically no weightier butchers were on sale. Majority of 130-150# light lights turned at \$10.00 to \$11.25 with pigs scaling 130# and down going mostly at \$8.25 to \$10.00, occasional lots of choice one thirties above the latter figure. Bulk of packing sows passed through a spread of \$10.10 to \$10.25 with \$10.15 a popular figure.

SHEEP: Sheep estimate called for only 250 head with actual arrivals falling well below this figure. The run last Thursday totaled 590 head and a year ago 796 were marketed. Salable supplies were negligible and a nominal market was the result. Clipped lambs have sold to packers on recent sessions at \$15.50 to \$15.75, while city butchers paid up to \$16.25 for a double deck of choice shorn offerings early in the week. Wooled lambs have been very scarce, the only sizable lot to sell this week going to a city butcher at \$17.50. Wooled ewes are salable at \$9.50 to \$10.50, according to weight and quality with shorn ewes selling from \$9.50 downward.

Omaha Market - 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: Slaughter steers and she stock very active; strong to mostly 25¢ higher; bulls and veals scarce, fully steady; stockers and feeders scarce, steady; fed steers and yearlings \$12.50 to \$14.00; mostly \$13.00 to \$14.00; yearlings \$14.25; heifers \$11.75 to \$12.85; bulk beef cows \$8.50 to \$10.50; small lots \$10.75 to \$11.00; bulk all cutters \$6.25 to \$7.75; few medium bulls \$8.50 to \$8.75; practical top veals \$14.50.

HOGS: Fully 15¢ higher than Wednesday's average; spots 25¢ up; top \$11.30 on 240-250# butchers; bulk 200-320# butchers \$11.15-11.30; bulk 160-200# lights \$11.00 to \$11.25; light lights and pigs scarce; packing sows \$10.40 to \$10.60.

SHEEP: Lambs opening steady to 25¢ lower; other classes steady; early sales fed wooled lambs to packers \$16.65 to \$17.00; sales to shippers and yard traders of lambs 90# down \$17.10 to \$17.30; top \$17.30; wooled ewes \$10.00 to \$11.00; shearing lambs up to \$16.80.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- Fed steers and yearlings 25¢ higher, spots more; inbetween grades showing most advance, market active; all she stock sharing upturn; stockers and feeders scarce and firm at week's advance; mostly $11.00 to $12.50; bulls fully steady, outstanding shipper kinds stronger; good to choice vealers with weight steady; talking lower on kinds scaling 110-lbs. downward; early top long yearlings $14.75, some medium weights held higher, numerous sales $13.75 to $14.25; best weighty steers early $14.30, comparatively little to killers under $13.00; most cutter cows $6.50 to $7.50; sizable supply dairy bred cows in run; outstanding sausage bulls $9.60, bulk lighter kinds $8.75 to $9.25.

HOGS:- Mostly 15 to 25¢ higher; slow at advance; top $11.75 paid freely for 170 to 230-lb. weights; bulk of good and choice 160 to 240-lb. averages $11.60 to $11.75; 250 to 340-lb. weights $11.50 to $11.65; few less desirable loads down to $11.40; bulk of good and choice 130 to 150-lb. weights $10.50 to $11.40; pigs mostly $9.25 to $10.25, choice strong weights up to $10.75, common sorts down to $8.00; packing sows largely $10.35 to $10.60.

SHEEP:- Practically nothing sold; generally asking 25¢ or more higher; fairly broad inquiry from packers and yard traders; choice sorted lambs held around $17.75; few good to choice kinds offered around $17.25 to $17.50; few medium natives sold at $16.50 to $16.75; few loads clipped lambs unsold, best held around $16.50; sheep steady; few weighty fat ewes $11.25; feeding and shearing lambs scarce, quotable steady to strong.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- Fed steers fairly active strong to 25¢ higher; medium to good grades mostly 15 to 25¢ up, largely a forced advance; other killing classes scarce, steady to strong; broad demand for butcher cows; inbetween grades mixed yearlings and fed heifers somewhat draggy; vealers and calves fully steady; stockers and feeders scarce, unchanged; choice 1039 and 1141-lb. Nebraska steers $14.25; 1170-lb. averages $14.10; three loads medium weight Colorados $13.75; bulk fed offerings selling upward from $12.50; no heavy steers of consequence offered; four loads mixed yearlings $13.90; fed dogies up to $11.50; bulk butcher cows $8.50 to $10.00; vealers mostly $15.50 down.

HOGS:- Fairly active, uneven, 15 to 35¢ higher than Wednesday's average; stock pigs steady; top $11.45 on choice 225-lbs.; bulk desirable 170 to 260-lbs. $11.25 to $11.40; 270 to 325-lb. butchers $11.00 to $11.20; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.25 to $11.15; packing sows $9.25 to $10.25; stock pigs $9.25 to $10.35.

SHEEP:- Killing classes generally steady; top and early bulk wooled lambs $17.25; clippers $15.25 to $1[illegible].50; choice Kansas spring lambs $19.40; Arizonas $19.25.

HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$11.40-11.65	$11.25-11.65	$10.80-11.35	$10.85-11.30
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	11.45-11.70	11.25-11.75	11.00-11.45	10.90-11.30
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	11.00-11.75	11.00-11.75	10.80-11.40	10.60-11.30
Lt. Lts.	(130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.00-11.65	10.00-11.70	10.25-11.15	10.00-11.15
Packing sows, smooth and rough			9.85-10.35	10.15-10.75	9.25-10.35	10.15-10.65
Slaughter Pigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	8.00-10.25	8.75-10.75	8.75-10.35	-----------
Fdr &Stkr.Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	7.75-10.25	-----------	8.75-10.35	9.00-10.00
Av. Cost & Wt. Wed. (Pigs Exc)			11.30-212#	11.30-243#	10.89-224#	10.99-255#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	-----------	13.25-14.60	-----------	-----------
	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.50-14.25	14.25-14.85	13.40-14.25	13.25-14.25
		Good	12.50-13.50	13.50-14.25	12.75-13.40	12.50-13.25
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.75-14.50	14.25-14.85	13.40-14.50	13.50-14.50
		Good	12.75-13.75	13.50-14.25	12.75-13.75	12.75-13.75
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	13.75-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.75-14.50	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.25	13.00-13.75	13.00-13.75
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.75	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.00
		Common	9.50-12.00	9.75-12.00	9.50-11.75	9.50-12.00
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)		Choice	14.00-14.75	14.50-15.00	13.75-14.50	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.50	12.50-13.75	13.00-13.75
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	13.25-14.25	13.75-14.50	12.25-13.75	12.75-14.00
		Good	12.25-13.25	12.75-13.75	11.50-12.75	12.00-12.75
		Com-Med	8.75-12.50	9.25-12.75	8.25-11.50	8.75-12.00
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	11.25-13.50	11.50-14.25	11.25-13.00	11.25-13.50
		Good	10.25-13.00	10.50-13.75	10.00-12.25	10.25-12.75
		Medium	9.00-12.25	9.50-12.75	8.50-11.50	9.00-11.75
Cows:		Choice	10.25-11.00	10.25-11.50	10.25-11.00	10.25-11.25
		Good	9.50-10.25	9.00-10.25	9.25-10.25	9.50-10.25
		Com-Med	8.00- 9.50	7.75- 9.25	7.50- 9.25	7.75- 9.50
		Low Cut-Cut	5.75- 8.00	6.25- 7.75	5.50- 7.50	6.25- 7.75
Bulls: (Ylg.Exc.Beef.)		Gd-Ch	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.50	9.00-10.00	9.00-10.25
		Cut-Med	7.50- 9.50	7.75- 9.50	7.00- 9.00	7.50- 9.00
Calves:	(500# dn)	Med-Ch	9.50-12.50	10.00-13.00	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.50
		Cull-Com	6.50- 9.50	7.00-10.00	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.50
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	13.50-15.00	11.50-15.50	12.00-15.50	12.00-14.50
		Medium	11.00-13.50	10.00-11.50	9.00-12.00	11.00-12.00
		Cull-Com	6.00-11.00	8.00-10.00	6.00- 9.00	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	11.75-12.75	11.75-13.25
		Com-Med	9.00-11.50	9.75-11.75	9.25-12.00	9.25-11.75
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	12.00-14.00	12.00-13.75
		Com-Med	8.50-11.50	9.75-11.75	9.00-12.00	9.00-12.00
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	11.00-12.00	9.50-11.25	9.75-11.25	9.50-11.25
		Com-Med	8.50-11.00	8.75- 9.50	7.50- 9.75	7.75- 9.50
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.50- 9.25	8.25- 8.75	7.75- 8.75	7.50- 8.75
		Com-Med	7.50- 8.50	7.75- 8.25	6.75- 7.75	6.25- 7.50
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	-----------	-----------	12.00-14.00	11.25-14.00
		Medium	-----------	-----------	10.00-12.00	8.75-11.25
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			QUOTATIONS ON WOOLED BASIS.			
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	16.50-17.50	16.75-17.75	16.00-17.35	16.50-17.50
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	16.50-17.50	16.60-17.65	16.00-17.35	16.25-17.50
	(92# dn)	Medium	15.00-16.50	16.00-16.75	15.00-16.00	15.50-16.50
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	-----------	15.75-17.50	15.00-17.00	15.50-17.00
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	11.00-15.00	12.00-16.00	10.50-15.00	11.75-15.50
Yearling Wethers	(110# dn)	Med-Ch	10.75-15.00	11.50-15.50	11.00-15.25	11.00-14.75
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	8.75-10.50	9.25-11.50	8.50-11.00	8.50-11.00
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.25	9.00-11.25	8.25-10.75	8.25-10.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	4.25- 8.75	4.25- 9.25	4.00- 8.50	4.00- 8.50
FEEDING SHEEP AND LAMBS:-						
Feeding Lambs	(Range Stk.)	Gd-Ch	-----------	15.00-16.75	-----------	14.50-16.25
		Medium	-----------	13.25-15.00	-----------	13.00-14.50

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET - FRIDAY - APRIL 12, 1929

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
National Stock Yards	**500	**400	8,000	300
Chicago	1,500	1,000	13,000	6,000
Kansas City	300	100	3,000	5,000
Omaha	1,400	100	10,500	9,000
St. Joseph	700	100	2,000	4,500
St. Paul	1,400	1,100	5,000	300
Sioux City	1,000	100	6,500	1,500
Cincinnati	325	375	4,100	175
Indianapolis	600	600	7,000	100
Pittsburg	- -	125	1,500	650
Buffalo	50	600	2,080	1,700
Total 11 Markets	7,775	4,600	62,680	29,225
One week ago	8,300	4,475	63,800	43,100
One year ago	7,700	5,250	58,440	19,025
To date this week	141,035	45,350	410,220	224,925
Same period last week	129,470	44,815	434,135	234,200
Same period last year	133,955	49,125	406,460	102,460

**Run includes 150 cattle and calves on through billing.. Today's estimated hog receipts include estimated unloads of through and direct billed hogs as follows: National Stock Yards 800 through and 200 direct; Chicago 2,000; Kansas City 450; Omaha 100; St. Joseph 300; Sioux City 400; St. Paul 150.

NAT'L. STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-THURSDAY-APRIL 11, 1929.

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Actual receipts	1,428	949	8,192	17
Total shipments	614	542	6,929	- -
Packer purchases	1,098	410	2,670	38

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-FRIDAY-APRIL 12, 1929.
(Based on Market Conditions and Sales Reported up to 1:00 PM)

CATTLE: Morning estimates called for unloadings of 500 cattle, as compared with actual receipts of 722 last Friday, and a total of 742 the corresponding day last year.

With the exception of a few loads of steers which sold at steady to strong prices, there was not much to the cattle trade today. The salable supply was even lighter than the scant estimate which was reported, as a considerable number of these were in on through billing. Odd and ends of the other killing classes were disposed of at the same terms which ruled on steers. The vealer market was an uneven affair and when finally established on a going basis it was largely a steady to 50¢ higher deal.

The best steers were two loads of light material on the long yearling order averaging 909 and 973# which cashed at $12.85 and $13.50, respectively. Some "yellow hammers" changed hands downward to $11.50, while a load of rough, but quite fat southern oxen cashed at $9.25. Odd lots of mixed yearlings and heifers turned at $11.50 to $13.00, with most cows clearing from $8.50 to $9.75. Some low cutters went from $6.00 to $7.00, with cutters upward to $8.00. Medium bulls were limited at $9.50 downward. Shippers and packers participated in the crop of good and choice vealers at $15.00 and $15.50.

No essential price changes occurred during the week in the stocker and feeder trade. Supplies of steers were somewhat increased, but the best demand centered on better grade material which were very scarce. One small lot averaging 821# went on country account at $12.75, with two loads scaling 810-866# at $12.00 and $12.40. Lightweights ranged from $9.75 to $12.25, with the bulk $11.40 to $12.25. Most cows brought $7.75 to $8.50 and heifers largely $9.50 to $10.50.

HOGS: Early sales of hogs were made on the account of shippers and butchers at an advance of 5-10¢ over Thursday's average market. This advance proved to be for a short time only since most orders specified steady or lower prices. Later trade was slow and at the finish all interests were buying about in line with yesterday's transactions with occasional sales even reflecting an uneven downturn. Pigs and light lights were scarce and with a fair demand most sales were unevenly 25-50¢ higher. Receipts here were estimated at 8,000 head, including 1,000 billed through and direct, compared with actual arrivals of 11,521 last Friday and 9,302 a year ago. Supplies also included nearly 4000 holdovers. Total at eleven markets was about the same as a week earlier.

Most early sales of hogs were transacted at $11.65 to $11.75 for 160-260# weights with a few loads, mostly of choice light hogs, furnishing a top of $11.80. On late rounds most of these weights earned $11.55 to $11.65. At the extreme close several loads of medium to good butchers scaling around 240# cleared at $11.40. Most 130-150# light lights realized $10.50 to $11.50 with pigs scaling 130# down moving at $9.50 to $10.50, according to weight and quality. Packing sows that sold early earned $10.15 to $10.25 but at the close most of this class realized $10.10 to $10.15.

SHEEP: Receipts of sheep were estimated at 300 head today practically all of which were billed direct or through so that there were practically none on sale. The run last Friday totaled 991 and a year ago 857 were offered. With a nominal trade on all classes no quotations were changed. Based on sales so far this week best wooled lambs would sell up to $17.50, city butchers paying this figure early in the week for the only sizable lot on this week's market. Clipped lambs have sold up to $16.25 to city butchers with bulk of sales to packers at $15.50 to $15.75. Cull clippers are quotable around $10.00 to $13.00. Fat wooled ewes have sold from $9.50 to $10.50 with shorn ewes selling downward from $9.50.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A. M.

Cattle: Most killing classes steady; veals strong to 50¢ higher; stockers and feeders scarce, steady; fed steers and yearlings $12.50 to $13.75; small lots light steers $13.75 and $14.00; choice 753# heifers $13.60; bulk beef cows $8.50 to $10.50; bulk all cutters $6.25 to $7.75; bulls scarce; practical top veals $15.00; odd head to independents $15.50.

Hogs: Opened active to all interests at steady to 10¢ higher prices; close slow, barely steady; top $11.40 on 240-250# butchers; 180-320# averages $11.15 to $11.35; the better grade butchers 200-300# mostly $11.25 and $11.30; medium grade light lights downward to $10.25; packing sows $10.50 to $10.60.

Sheep: Lambs opening slow, weak to 25¢ lower; other classes steady; early sales and bids on fed wooled lambs to packers $16.60 to $17.00; early top to yard traders $17.25; few native spring lambs up to $19.00; California lambs unsold; wooled ewes $10.50 down; shorn ewes $9.75 down; no choice feeding lambs on offer.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, FRIDAY, APRIL 12, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- Meager supply fed steers and yearlings 15 to 25¢ lower; better grades showing most decline; other classes mostly steady; she stock being fairly active; best light and mixed yearlings $14.50; few loads $13.50 to $14.25, with plainer offerings $12.50 to $13.25; no choice weighty steers here, best $14.00; low cutter cows $6.50 to $7.75; fat offerings largely $8.50 to $10.00; practical top weighty sausage bulls $9.50; light and medium weigh kinds largely $8.75 to $9.25; few selected vealers up to $15.00 or slightly better, most light offerings $12.00 to $13.00; week end trade on stockers slow but firm.

HOGS:- A few loads 5 to 10¢ higher early; later market very slow, steady to 10¢ lower; later sales 10 to 15¢ lower; top $11.60 paid early for an occasional load of around 200-lb. weights; bulk of good and choice 160 to 240-lb. weights $11.50 to $11.75; 250 to 320-lb. averages $11.35 to $11.60, outside prices paid early; bulk of good and choice 130 to 150-lb. weights $10.50 to $11.40; strictly choice 150-lb. averages up to $11.60; pigs mostly $9.25 to $10.50; bulk packing sows $10.40 to $10.60.

SHEEP:- Fairly active to packers and yard traders, mostly steady with Thursday's average; a few loads good to choice 87 to 105-lb. lambs $16.85 to $17.10, few 88-lb. weights $17.25; choice 86-lb. averages to outsiders $17.50; few good to choice 76 to 84-lb. clipped lambs $16.00, some held higher; sheep and feeding lambs very scarce, quotable steady to strong.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- Generally steady trade on the few killing cattle offered; hardly enough of any one class available to test prices; few loads fed steers eligible to sell around $13.00 to $13.25; light weight fed dogies $11.65; odd lots butcher cows $8.50 to $10.00; all cutters $5.75 to $7.50; vealers and calves mostly steady; vealers $15.00 down; stockers and feeders unchanged; light to moderate supply held by dealers.

HOGS:- Very slow, uneven; opened strong to 10¢ higher on light lights; later trade on medium and heavy weights steady to 10¢ lower than Thursday's average; big packers inactive; top $11.30 on choice 225-lb. butchers; few sales 150 to 300-lbs. $11.10 to $11.25; few less desirable lighter weights down to $10.30; packing sows steady, $9.25 to $10.35; stock pigs $9.25 to $10.35.

SHEEP:- Fat lambs very slow, weak to 25¢ lower; bulk woolskins still unsold, few sales $16.75 to $17.15; clippers mostly $14.75 to $15.35; sheep scarce, steady; shorn wethers $10.25 to $11.00.

			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)						
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$11.40-11.65	$11.25-11.65	$10.70-11.25	$10.35-11.40
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	11.40-11.65	11.25-11.80	10.90-11.30	10.30-11.40
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	11.25-11.65	11.00-11.80	10.70-11.25	10.20-11.35
Lt. Lts.	(130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.50-11.65	10.00-11.75	10.25-11.25	10.00-11.15
Packing sows, smooth and rough			9.85-10.35	10.15-10.75	9.25-10.35	10.25-10.70
Slaughter Pigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	8.50-10.75	8.75-10.75	8.75-10.35	----------
Fdr & Stkr. Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.75	----------	8.75-10.35	9.00-10.00
Av. Cost & Wt. Thurs. (Pigs Exc)			11.35-196#	11.45-248#	11.14-235#	11.19-259#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	----------	13.25-14.60	----------	----------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.50-14.25	14.25-14.75	13.40-14.25	13.25-14.25
		Good	12.50-13.50	13.50-14.25	12.75-13.40	12.50-13.25
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.75-14.50	14.25-14.85	13.40-14.50	13.50-14.50
		Good	12.75-13.75	13.50-14.25	12.75-13.75	12.75-13.75
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	13.75-14.75	14.25-14.75	13.75-14.50	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.25	13.00-13.75	13.00-13.75
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.00
		Common	9.50-12.00	9.75-12.00	9.50-11.75	9.50-12.00
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings	750-950#)	Choice	14.00-14.75	14.50-15.00	13.75-14.50	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.50	12.50-13.75	13.00-13.75
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	13.25-14.25	13.75-14.50	12.25-13.75	12.75-14.00
		Good	12.25-13.25	12.75-13.75	11.50-12.75	12.00-12.75
		Com-Med	8.75-12.50	9.25-13.00	8.25-11.50	8.75-12.00
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	11.25-13.50	11.50-14.25	11.25-13.00	11.25-13.50
		Good	10.25-13.00	10.50-13.75	10.00-12.25	10.25-12.75
		Medium	9.00-12.25	9.50-12.75	8.50-11.50	9.00-11.75
Cows:		Choice	10.25-11.00	10.25-11.50	10.25-11.00	10.25-11.25
		Good	9.50-10.25	9.00-10.25	9.25-10.25	9.50-10.25
		Com-Med	8.00-9.50	8.00-9.25	7.50-9.25	7.75-9.50
		Low Cut-Cut	5.75-8.00	6.25-8.00	5.50-7.50	6.25-7.75
Bulls:	(Ylg. Exc. Beef.)	Gd-Ch	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.50	9.00-10.00	9.00-10.25
		Cut-Med	7.50-9.50	7.75-9.60	7.00-9.00	7.50-9.00
Calves:	(500# dn)	Med-Ch	9.50-12.50	10.00-13.00	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.50
		Cull-Com	6.50-9.50	7.00-10.00	6.50-9.50	6.50-9.50
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	14.00-15.50	11.50-15.50	12.00-15.50	12.00-15.00
		Medium	11.50-14.00	10.00-11.50	9.00-12.00	11.00-12.00
		Cull-Com	6.00-11.50	7.50-10.00	6.00-9.00	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	11.75-12.75	11.75-13.25
		Com-Med	9.00-11.50	9.75-11.75	9.25-12.00	9.25-11.75
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	12.00-14.00	12.00-13.75
		Com-Med	8.50-11.50	9.75-11.75	9.00-12.00	9.00-12.00
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	11.00-12.00	9.50-11.25	9.75-11.25	9.50-11.25
		Com-Med	8.50-11.00	8.75-9.50	7.50-9.75	7.75-9.50
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.50-9.25	8.25-8.75	7.75-8.75	7.50-8.75
		Com-Med	7.50-8.50	7.75-8.25	6.75-7.75	6.25-7.50
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	----------	----------	12.00-14.00	11.25-14.00
		Medium	----------	----------	10.00-12.00	8.75-11.25
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			QUOTATIONS ON WOOLED BASIS.			
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	16.50-17.50	16.75-17.65	16.00-17.35	16.50-17.25
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	16.50-17.50	16.60-17.65	16.00-17.35	16.25-17.25
	(92# dn)	Medium	15.00-16.50	16.00-16.75	15.00-16.00	15.50-16.50
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	----------	15.75-17.50	15.00-17.00	15.50-17.00
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	11.00-15.00	12.00-16.00	10.50-15.00	11.75-15.50
Yearling Wethers	(110# dn)	Med-Ch	10.75-15.00	11.50-15.50	11.00-15.25	11.00-14.75
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	8.75-10.50	9.25-11.50	8.50-11.00	8.50-11.00
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.25	9.00-11.25	8.25-10.75	8.25-10.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	4.25-8.75	4.25-9.25	4.00-8.50	4.00-8.50
FEEDING SHEEP AND LAMBS:-						
Feeding Lambs	(Range Stk.)	Gd-Ch	----------	15.00-16.75	----------	14.50-16.25
		Medium	----------	13.25-15.00	----------	13.00-14.50

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SUMMARY OF LIVESTOCK MARKET - SATURDAY - APRIL 13, 1929

RECEIPTS

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS (ESTIMATE)	200	100	5,500	- - -
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS TOTAL THIS WK. (APPROX.)	9,100	5,900	60,900	5,030
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS TOTAL LAST WEEK	9,508	6,513	67,559	4,759
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS TOTAL SAME WK. LAST YR.	10,776	7,238	61,943	4,568
11 MARKET TOTAL THIS WEEK	143,160	46,400	450,700	236,425
11 MARKET TOTAL LAST WEEK	131,140	45,785	462,535	250,145
11 MARKET TOTAL SAME WEEK LAST YEAR	135,580	49,950	424,390	178,225

**RUN INCLUDES 150 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 800 THROUGH AND 700 DIRECT; CHICAGO 2,000; KANSAS CITY 650; OMAHA 2,500; SIOUX CITY 1,700.

NAT'L. STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES - FRIDAY - APR. 12, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	431	558	10,068	1,099
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	191	178	7,746	802
PACKER PURCHASES	515	474	4,432	128

LIVESTOCK MARKET QUOTATIONS AND CONDITIONS-SATURDAY-APRIL 13, 1929.

HOGS: (SOFT OR OILY HOGS & ROASTING PIGS EX):	NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A.M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HVY. WT. (250-350#) MED-CH	$11.15-11.40	$11.25-11.55	$10.50-11.10	$10.70-11.10
MED. WT. (200-250#) MED-CH	11.15-11.50	11.25-11.65	10.80-11.15	10.75-11.15
LT. WT. (160-200#) MED-CH	11.00-11.50	11.00-11.65	10.60-11.15	10.40-11.15
LT. LTS. (130-160#) MED-CH	10.25-11.50	10.00-11.65	10.15-11.15	9.85-11.00
PACKING SOWS SMOOTH & ROUGH	9.65-10.15	10.15-10.60	9.25-10.35	9.85-10.40
SLAUGHTER PIGS 90-130# MED-CH	8.25-10.50	8.75-10.75	8.75-10.35	----------
FDR & STKR PIGS 70-130#) MED-CH	8.00-10.50	----------	8.75-10.35	9.00-10.00
AV. COST & WT. FRI. (PIGS EX)	11.31-209#	11.44-245#	11.00-235#	11.16-261#

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-SATURDAY-APRIL 13, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P.M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE FOR THE PAST WEEK APPROXIMATE 9,100 HEAD, AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS 9,508 THE PREVIOUS WEEK, AND A TOTAL OF 10,776 THE CORRESPONDING WEEK A YEAR EARLIER.

SOME UNEVENNESS FEATURED THE TRADE IN THE CATTLE DIVISION EARLY IN THE WEEK WITH SOME DECLINES APPARENT HERE AND THERE, BUT WITH A STRONG COMEBACK COMMENCING AT MIDWEEK ALL DECLINES WERE RECOVERED AND THE MARKET IS CLOSING WITH A STRONGER UNDERTONE THROUGHOUT. MOST OF THE KILLING CLASSES IN GENERAL ARE APPROACHING A NEW HIGH POINT FOR THE SEASON TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION THE ADDITIONAL STRENGTH AT THE CLOSE. RECEIPTS LOCALLY HAVE BEEN MODERATELY LIGHT, BUT THE TOTAL FOR ELEVEN PRINCIPAL MARKETS IS SHOWING SOME INCREASE OVER A WEEK AND A YEAR AGO. STEER QUALITY SHOWED SOME IMPROVEMENT IN SPOTS, BUT IN GENERAL QUALITY AND CONDITION WERE ONLY ORDINARY. VERY FEW LOADS AVERAGING OVER 1100# WERE OFFERED, THE GREAT MAJORITY BEING LIGHTWEIGHT STEERS AND YEARLINGS, INCLUDING NUMEROUS "YELLOWHAMMERS". MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS WERE MORE LIBERALLY OFFERED AND SOMETIMES THE EXISTING DEMAND WAS NOT SUFFICIENT TO TAKE CARE OF THE ENTIRE SUPPLY AT STEADY TERMS, THEREBY CAUSING THE UNEVENNESS ON THESE CLASSES. COWS HAVE BEEN IN LIGHT SUPPLY AND ONLY WHEN A DETERMINED EFFORT ON THE PART OF PACKERS TO CHEAPEN COSTS WAS MADE FOR A BRIEF PERIOD DID ANY DECLINES OCCUR, THESE COMING RIGHT BACK AGAIN STRONGER THAN EVER. PRICES ON MEDIUM BULLS ADVANCED UNDER A GOOD DEMAND AND BEST KINDS ARE SELLING AS HIGH AS HEAVY WEIGHT BUTCHER KINDS AT PRESENT. VEALER PRICES FLUCTUATED AND WITH THE IRREGULAR MARKET YESTERDAY ARE CLOSING UNEVENLY HIGHER.

COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO, ALL KILLING CLASSES ARE GENERALLY STEADY TO STRONG, WITH SPOTS HIGHER ON COWS, MEDIUM BULLS 25¢ HIGHER AND VEALERS 25-75¢ HIGHER; ALL CLASSES STOCKERS AND FEEDERS ABOUT STEADY. TOPS FOR WEEK: 1077# STEERS $14.00; 993# YEARLINGS, 1217# STEERS AND 646-706# HEIFERS $13.75; 725# MIXED YEARLINGS $13.50. BULKS FOR WEEK: STEERS $11.75 TO $13.60; FAT MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS $12.60 TO $13.50; MEDIUM KINDS $11.50 TO $12.25; COWS $9.50 TO $9.75; LOW CUTTERS $6.00 TO $6.75; TOP GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS AT CLOSE $15.50.

HOGS: HOG TRADE WAS A DULL AFFAIR TODAY. RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 5,500 HEAD, INCLUDING 1,500 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 3,327 LAST SATURDAY AND 1,627 A YEAR AGO. THE INCREASED SUPPLIES COUPLED WITH A DECIDEDLY CURTAILED SHIPPING OUTLET RESULTED IN AN OPENING FULLY 25¢ UNDER THE BEST TIME FRIDAY. TRADE WAS SLOW THROUGHOUT AND, THOUGH PACKERS WERE OPERATING BEFORE MIDSESSION, THE GENERAL DECLINE WOULD FIGURE 15 TO MOSTLY 25¢ UNDER THE PREVIOUS DAY'S AVERAGE. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS WERE IN LIGHT SUPPLY BUT SHARED THE DOWNTURNS. CLEARANCE WAS STILL INCOMPLETE AT A LATE HOUR.

MOST OF THE BETTER 160-240# WEIGHTS PASSED THROUGH A SPREAD OF $11.40 TO $11.50, LATTER FIGURE BEING THE DAY'S EXTREME HIGH PRICE. STRONGWEIGHT BUTCHERS WERE PRACTICALLY LACKING. OCCASIONAL LOTS OF STRONGWEIGHTS AND LESS DESIRABLE HOGS CARRYING LESS WEIGHT TURNED AT PRICES RANGING DOWNWARD FROM $11.35. BULK OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS MOVED AT $10.25 TO $11.25 WITH PIGS SCALING 130# DOWN AT $8.50 TO $10.25. BULK OF PACKING SOWS REALIZED THE $10.00 MONEY WITH OCCASIONAL LOTS OF SMOOTH DESCRIPTIONS AT $10.10.

RECEIPTS THIS WEEK TOTALED APPROXIMATELY 60,900 COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 67,559 LAST WEEK AND 61,943 A YEAR AGO. THIS DECREASE IN SUPPLIES WAS MORE THAN BALANCED BY A DECLINE IN LOCAL SHIPMENTS, CAUSED LARGELY BY A DULL, WEAK TO LOWER TREND TO DRESSED PORK IN EASTERN CENTERS. LIVE TRADE WAS VERY IRREGULAR DURING THE WEEK AND THE CLOSING SESSION REPORTED NET DECLINES COMPARED WITH A WEEK EARLIER OF ABOUT 10-15¢, PIGS AVERAGING ABOUT STEADY.

SHEEP: RECEIPTS OF SHEEP AND LAMBS THIS WEEK TOTALED APPROXIMATELY 5,000 HEAD COMPARED WITH ACTUAL MARKETINGS OF 4,759 LAST WEEK AND 4,568 A YEAR AGO. SALABLE SUPPLIES CONTINUED TO RUN LIGHT ALL WEEK WITH BULK OF RECEIPTS ON DIRECT OR THROUGH BILLING. TRADE WAS FAIRLY ACTIVE ON THE MEAGER SUPPLIES, HOWEVER, AND LAMBS AND YEARLINGS SCORED A 25¢ ADVANCE, SHEEP HOLDING STEADY. THE ONLY SIZABLE LOT OF WOOLED LAMBS OFFERED ALL WEEK CONSISTED OF A SHORT DECK OF 86# WEIGHTS THAT TURNED TO CITY BUTCHER AT $17.50. ODD LOTS SOLD ON PACKER ACCOUNT AT $17.00 AND DOWN. A DOUBLE DECK OF CHOICE 72# SHORN LAMBS WENT TO CITY BUTCHERS TO FURNISH A TOP AT $16.25, WITH MAJORITY OF PACKER SALES RANGING FROM $15.50 TO $15.75, MEDIUM GRADES DOWN TO $15.25. CULL SHORN LAMBS ARE QUOTABLE AT $10.00 TO $13.00. A SHORT DECK OF 77# SHORN YEARLINGS CONSTITUTED BULK OF THIS CLASS AND WENT TO A BUTCHER AT $14.00. WOOLED EWES ARE SALABLE AT $9.50 TO $10.50, CLIPPED EWES $9.50 DOWN.

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TELEGRAPHIC REPORTS FROM OTHER MARKETS

Saturday, April 13, 1929.

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- Ignoring Friday's decline, fed steers and yearlings 25 to 40¢ higher than week ago; stockers and feeders and she stock sharing advance; bulls 15 to 25¢ higher and vealers largely 75¢ to $1.00 lower; medium to good yearlings and light steers showed most upturn; medium weighty steers slowest sellers, gaining least; killing quality greatly improved over recent marketings; very sizable proportion Iowa, Nebraska and South Dakota steer crop selling at $14.00 upward; extreme top $14.85 paid for 1395-lb. averages; best yearlings $14.75; mixed yearlings $14.65 and heifer yearlings $14.50, not much to killers below $12.75; average price paid for slaughter steers and yearlings being approximately $13.50; bulk stockers and feeders $10.75 to $12.50, best $12.85.

HOGS:- Mostly steady to strong with Friday's average; hardly enough on sale to fully establish a market; top $11.65 paid for an occasional load and odd lot of around 200-lb. weights; bulk of better grade hogs scaling from 160 to 300-lbs. $11.40 to $11.60; heavy butchers mostly $11.45 and $11.50; odd lots of medium quality down to $11.25; good grade around 150-lb. weights at $10.75; around 425-lb. packing sows at $10.40, odd lots down to $10.25; shippers took 500; estimated holdover 2,000.

SHEEP:- For week: 97 doubles from feed lots; 35,600 directs including 5,200 Californias; dependable call from packers, but shippers, yard traders and city butchers operated sparingly; dressed lamb trade largely unchanged; compared with week ago: fat lambs weak to 25¢ lower; aged sheep unevenly steady to 50¢ higher; tops for week: fat lambs $17.75, $17.50 late; clipped $16.60; bulks: fat lambs $17.00 to $17.35; shorn $15.75 to $16.25; fat ewes $10.00 to $11.50, few head $12.00; feeding and shearing lambs $16.00 to $16.50, few $16.75.

OMAHA MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- Compared with week ago: weighty steers and medium weights steady; yearlings and light steers 25 to 40¢ higher; heifers strong to 25¢ higher; beef cows 25 to 50¢ higher; bulls and veals steady; stockers and feeders firm; bulks for week: fed steers and yearlings $12.50 to $14.00; weighty steers $14.00; light steers up to $14.50; heifers $12.00 to $13.50, 753-lb. weights $13.50; bulk beef cows $8.50 to $10.25; bulk all cutters $6.25 to $7.75; medium bulls $8.35 to $9.00; veal top at close $15.00; stockers and feeders $11.25 to $13.00; yearlings $13.50; light yearlings on calf order $14.00.

HOGS:- Fairly active, 15 to 25¢ lower; top $11.15 on choice 220-lb. butchers; bulk 170 to 320-lb. weights $11.00 to $11.40, mostly $11.00 to packers; light lights downward to $10.25; packing sows 25 to 40¢ lower, $10.00 to $10.40.

SHEEP:- Compared with week ago: fat lambs strong to 25¢ higher; sheep firm, feeders strong; closing bulks follow: fed wooled lambs $16.60 to $17.00, top $17.25; fed clipped lambs $15.35 to $16.00; Californ/spring lambs $18.50 to $19.25; fed wooled ewes $10.00 to $11.00; shorn ewes $9.00 to $9.75; feeding lambs $15.00 to $16.00; shearing lambs up to $16.80.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- Fed steers, after slumping 25¢ early in the week, more than recovered the loss; closing prices strong to 25¢ higher; supplies meager after Tuesday; light yearlings weak to unevenly lower; inbetween grades off 25 to 40¢; slaughter cows strong to 25¢ higher; inbetween grades in broad demand at full advance; bulls and weighty slaughter calves steady; vealers 50¢ higher; stockers and feeders mostly steady; week's tops: several loads 1000 to 1150-lb. steers $14.00 to $14.25; best heavy steers $13.75; bulk fed steers $12.50 to $13.75; light mixed yearlings and fed heifers $11.75 to $13.25; butcher cows $8.50 to $10.00; good to choice vealers $12.00 to $15.00; bulk stockers and feeders $11.50 to $13.00; thin light weight stockers up to $14.00.

HOGS:- Fully steady with Friday's close; top $11.15 on 190 to 230-lbs.; desirable 170 to 300-lbs. $10.90 to $11.15; odd lots packing sows $9.75 to $10.25.

SHEEP:- Today's receipts all direct; lambs 15 to 25¢ lower; week's tops: woolskins $17.35; clippers $15.65; springers $19.40; bulk wooled lambs $16.75 to $17.25; shorn lambs $15.00 to $15.50; springers $18.50 to $19.25; sheep around 25¢ higher; best wooled ewes $10.50; Arizona shorn ewes $10.00; shearing lambs $15.50 to $16.25.

ST. PAUL MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- Compared week ago: most killing classes unevenly 15 to 25¢ higher after regaining early losses; long yearlings $14.10; weighty steers $14.00; mixed yearlings and medium weights $13.90; all new highs for year; bulk all steers and yearlings $12.00 to $13.50; common and medium fat cows $7.50 to $9.00; fed cows to $10.85; weighty fed heifers to $12.00, with yearlings to $13.00; common and medium heifers largely $9.25 to $10.50; cutters $6.00 to $7.00; bulls $8.25 to $8.75; stockers and feeders strong to 25¢ higher, largely $10.00 to $11.00; half-fat kinds to $12.00; stock cows $7.00 to $8.00; heifers $8.00 to $9.50; vealers at close mostly $14.00 or steady for the week.

HOGS:- Steady to 5¢ lower than Friday's average; bulk mixed weights and butchers to packers $11.25 to $11.35; top $11.35; few light lights and pigs $11.00; sows largely $10.00.

SHEEP:- Compared week ago: fat wooled lambs strong to 25¢ or more higher, other sheep steady; bulk fat wooled lambs $16.50 to $17.00; cull and common $11.00 to $15.00; fat wooled ewes $10.00 to $10.50; bulk 70 to 98-lb. clipped lambs $15.10 to $15.50.

FORT WORTH MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- Today's trade nominal. For week: slaughter steers mostly steady; slaughter yearlings generally strong; butcher and beef grades she stock strong, spots slightly higher; bulls unchanged; slaughter calves steady to 25¢ lower; stock steers, yearlings and calves fully steady. Week's tops: slaughter steers $13.50; slaughter yearlings $14.00; small lots best fat cows up to $9.50 and $10.00; heavy slaughter calves $12.50; choice light weight vealers $14.50; light weight stock steer yearlings $14.00; bulk prices: better grades slaughter steers $11.50 to $12.50; yearlings $12.00 to $13.25; plain butcher cows $7.25 to $7.75; cutters and low cutters $5.50 to $6.50; weighty slaughter calves $11.00 to $11.75; stock calves and yearlings $11.75 to $13.25; numerous sales very plain and common light weight Mexican stock steers $8.50 to $9.50

HOGS: Rail hogs steady, quality considered; truck hogs 15-20¢ lower ; rail top $10.90; truck top $10.40. Three loads medium to good 180-190# lights $10.65 and $10.30; bulk desirable 180-240# truck hogs $10.25 to $10.40; packing sows and pigs steady; packing sows $8.75 to $9.50; good feeder pigs $8.00 to $8.25.

SHEEP: Today's trade nominal. For week: shorn fat lambs strong to 25¢ higher; shorn fat wethers strong to 25¢ higher; other classes steady; medium to good spring lambs $15.50 to $16.50; bulk shorn fat lambs $13.75 to $14.50; good to choice shorn fat lambs up to $14.75; better grade shorn fat yearlings $12.50 to $13.00; two year old fat wethers $11.00 to $11.50; medium to choice aged shorn fat wethers $10.00 to $10.75; shorn feeder lambs $11.00 to $12.50; shorn feeder wethers $6.50 to $7.00

Hogs Slaughtered Under Federal Meat Inspection
Weeks Ending Friday April 12, 1929 and April 13, 1928.

	1929	1928
Chicago	105,914	91,144
National Stock Yards (Inc. St. Louis)	49,393	48,591
New York (Including Jersey City)	31,910	33,445
Omaha	49,377	36,978
Kansas City	47,842	30,224
So. St. Paul	41,981	36,726
Sioux City	37,739	*21,761

*NOTE:- 1928 figures at Sioux City for calendar week.

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DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET - MONDAY - APRIL 15, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	2,000	1,500	14,500	700
CHICAGO	18,000	5,000	40,000	15,000
KANSAS CITY	11,000	1,500	12,000	12,000
OMAHA	8,000	500	14,000	14,000
ST. JOSEPH	2,500	400	3,000	7,000
ST. PAUL	4,200	2,200	10,000	1,200
SIOUX CITY	4,500	200	13,500	4,000
CINCINNATI	1,100	350	3,700	125
INDIANAPOLIS	700	300	5,000	100
PITTSBURG	750	800	4,500	2,800
BUFFALO	1,750	1,700	11,520	6,000
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	55,100	14,450	131,720	62,925
ONE WEEK AGO	57,800	12,725	111,300	64,275
ONE YEAR AGO	60,975	13,875	109,500	56,750

**RUN INCLUDES 250 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 1,000 DIRECT AND 800 THROUGH; CHICAGO 13,000; KANSAS CITY 2,500; OMAHA 4,000; ST. JOSEPH 500; SIOUX CITY 1,100; ST. PAUL 1,000.

NAT'L. STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-SATURDAY-APR. 13, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	126	67	5,380	14
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	115	- -	5,220	- -
PACKER PURCHASES	14	7	2,320	- -

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-MONDAY-APRIL 15, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P. M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 2,000 TODAY, AS AGAINST A TOTAL OF 2,790 BY ACTUAL COUNT LAST MONDAY, AND TOTAL UNLOADINGS OF 2,638 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

ADVERSE WEATHER CONDITIONS POSSIBLY ACCOUNTS IN PART FOR THE LIGHT COUNTRY LOADINGS OF CATTLE WHICH ARRIVED ON THE LOCAL MARKET TODAY. STEERS MADE UP THE LARGEST PROPORTION OF THE SUPPLIES, THESE RUNNING LARGELY TO LIGHTWEIGHTS AND MOSTLY IN A MEDIUM TO GOOD FLESH CONDITION, WITH QUALITY ONLY ORDINARY THROUGHOUT. AN EIGHT-CAR STRING OF LIGHTWEIGHT TEXAS STEERS, SHOWING BRAHMA CHARACTERISTICS, WHICH HAD SEEN A FAIRLY LONG TURN IN THE FEED LOT ON CORN AND COTTONSEED MEAL ATTRACTED CONSIDERABLE ATTENTION FROM BUYERS. TAKEN AS A WHOLE THE MARKET WAS ACTIVE AND ON A STEADY TO STRONG BASIS - MOSTLY STRONG - ON ALL KILLING CLASSES, BUT IN A FEW SCATTERED INSTANCES SOME UPTURNS WERE NOTICEABLE ON HEIFERS, BUTCHER COWS AND INBETWEEN GRADE MEDIUM BULLS. THE VEALER MARKET, HOWEVER, DROPPED BACK TO A STEADY LEVEL COMPARED WITH THURSDAY, BUT WAS QUOTABLE UNEVENLY STEADY TO 50¢ LOWER THAN THE IRREGULAR FRIDAY SESSION. MIXED YEARLINGS WERE VERY SCARCE WITH ONLY ODD LOTS ON SALE, AND THESE WERE IN GOOD DEMAND, WHILE THE SUPPLY OF HEIFERS WAS NOT MUCH LARGER BUT WAS AUGMENTED BY TWO STRAIGHT LOADS OF DESIRABLE LIGHT HEIFERS. BUYERS DID NOT HESITATE LONG, AND THE BARGAINING SESSION WAS VERY SHORT ON THE SMALL CROP OF BUTCHER COWS AND ALL CUTTERS. MEDIUM BULLS WERE SCARCE AND BEST KINDS WERE CONSPICUOUSLY ABSENT.

THE BEST LOAD LOT OF STEERS CAPABLE OF GRADING GOOD AVERAGED 1,162# AND CASHED AT $13.75, WHILE TWO LOADS OF HEAVYWEIGHTS SCALING 1366# STOPPED AT $13.60. THE ABOVE MENTIONED TEXAS STEERS AVERAGED FROM 946-1031# AND RANGED IN PRICE FROM $12.40 TO $13.50, WITH THE BULK OF ALL STEERS CLEARING AT $12.25 TO $13.60, SOME "YELLOWHAMMERS" DOWN TO $11.50 OR BELOW. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS IN ODD LOTS TURNED LARGELY AT $11.50 TO $13.25, TWO CARS 668 AND 677# HEIFERS REACHING $13.50 AND $13.75, RESPECTIVELY. MOST OF THE COWS REGISTERED $8.75 TO $10.00, A FEW LOW CUTTERS $6.00 TO $6.75, AND CUTTERS UPWARD TO $8.00. MEDIUM BULLS CASHED READILY AT $9.50 AND DOWN, A FEW ON BUTCHER ORDER $9.75 AND $10.00. GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WENT TO PACKERS AND SHIPPERS AT $15.00 FOR THE TOP AND BULK.

HOGS: INCREASED MARKETINGS OF HOGS AROUND THE LIVESTOCK CIRCUIT HAD A BEARISH EFFECT ON TRADE THOUGH THIS WAS LARGELY BALANCED BY AN IMPROVED TONE TO DRESSED PORK AT EASTERN CENTERS. LOCAL TRADE WAS SLOW IN OPENING, A FEW EARLY SALES BEING MADE TO SHIPPERS AND BUTCHERS AT A DISCOUNT OF 10¢ FROM SATURDAY'S AVERAGE. LATER SHIPPING DEMAND EXPANDED AND THE TREND STRENGTHENED, THE GENERAL MARKET RULING 5-10¢ LOWER WITH CLOSING ROUNDS NOT OVER 5¢ OFF. PACKERS WERE OPERATING ABOUT MIDSESSION AND THE CLOSE WAS ACTIVE TO ALL INTERESTS THOUGH AFTER SHIPPING ORDERS WERE FILLED AND LOCAL BUTCHER DEMAND SATISFIED, COMPARATIVELY FEW WERE LEFT FOR PACKERS. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS WERE MODERATELY NUMEROUS AND WITH SOUTHERN PIGS EXERTING A DEPRESSING INFLUENCE, RULED WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER. LOCAL RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 14,500 INCLUDING 1,800 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 11,789 LAST MONDAY AND 13,042 A YEAR AGO.

BULK OF ALL HOGS ALL DAY RANGED FROM $11.35 TO $11.40, THIS SPREAD TAKING MOST 160-300# BUTCHERS, STRONGWEIGHTS, HOWEVER, BEING IN LIGHT SUPPLY. TOP PRICE TOUCHED $11.45, ALL INTERESTS PAYING THIS FIGURE FOR A LIMITED NUMBER OF CHOICE LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT HOGS. EARLY SALES RECORDED A FEW LOADS OF 160-180# WEIGHTS, SOMEWHAT LACKING IN QUALITY, AT $11.30. MAJORITY OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS MOVED AT $10.00 TO $11.00, WITH MOST 100-130# PIGS CASHING AT $9.50 TO $10.00, OCCASIONAL LOTS OF STRONG ONE THIRTIES UP TO $10.25. LIGHTER PIGS SOLD DOWNWARD FROM $8.50, ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY. PACKING SOWS SOLD FROM $9.85 TO $10.00, MAJORITY AT $9.90 TO $10.00.

SHEEP: WITH AN ESTIMATED RUN OF 700 HEAD IN THE SHEEP HOUSE, MOST OF WHICH WERE BILLED THROUGH OR DIRECT, SALABLE SUPPLIES WERE LIMITED. THE RUN LAST MONDAY TOTALED 1,661 HEAD AND A YEAR AGO 2,093 WERE MARKETED. SALES INCLUDED A DECK OF CLIPPED LAMBS IN ADDITION TO PART LOADS OF CLIPPED AND WOOLED DESCRIPTIONS AND ODD LOTS OF SHEEP AND SPRING LAMBS. THE TREND WAS STEADY TO STRONG ON LAMBS, STEADY ON SHEEP. CITY BUTCHERS PAID $16.25 FOR A PART LOAD OF CHOICE CLIPPED LAMBS WHILE PACKERS PAID $15.65 FOR 121 HEAD AVERAGING 75#. CULLS ARE SALABLE AROUND $10.00 TO $13.00, AND A SIZABLE LOT OF MEDIUM GRADES EARNED $15.00. A BUTCHER PAID $17.00 FOR ABOUT A HALF DECK OF 80# WOOLED LAMBS GRADING GOOD. CLIPPED EWES SOLD FROM $8.50 TO $9.50, ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY, A FEW WOOLED EWES SELLING UP TO $10.50. A SMALL LOT, 10 HEAD, OF GOOD TO CHOICE 64# SPRING LAMBS EARNED $19.50. STARTING TODAY QUOTATIONS CARRIED ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THIS SHEET ARE ON A CLIPPED OR SHORN BASIS.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: LARGELY A STEER RUN; YEARLINGS AND LIGHT STEERS ACTIVE, STEADY TO STRONG; WEIGHTY STEERS SLOW, STEADY; SHE STOCK STRONG; BULLS AND VEALS STEADY; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS STEADY TO STRONG; FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.50 TO $14.00; WEIGHTY STEERS $13.85; LIGHT STEERS 1050# $14.50; HEIFERS $12.00 TO $13.50; 697# WEIGHTS $13.90; BULK BEEF COWS $8.50 TO $10.50; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.25 TO $7.75; BULLS $8.50 TO $9.35; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $14.50, LOTS $15.00 TO $15.50; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $12.50 TO $14.00.

HOGS: STEADY TO 10¢ LOWER, CLOSE ACTIVE & STEADY; TOP $11.15; 180 TO 320-LBS. $10.90 TO $11.10; 140 TO 180# $10.25 TO $11.00; PKG. SOWS $10.00-$10.25; FDR. PIGS $9.25-10.00.

SHEEP: LAMBS WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; FED WOOLED LAMBS $16.50 TO $16.85; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $15.35 TO $15.75; SHEEP AND FEEDERS STEADY, WOOLED EWES $10.75-DOWN; SHEARING LAMBS $16.50 TO $16.75.

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4/15/29 1:45 P.M. ACA

-:Daily Livestock Market Conditions and Quotations, Monday, April 15, 1929:-

Chicago Market 10:30 A. M.

Cattle:- Largely steer run, with good and choice grades predominating; market 25¢ lower than Friday or 25 to 50¢ under last Thursday; light yearlings in fairly liberal supply, but active and generally steady with last week's close; light butcher heifers also getting action; she stock run comparatively small, fully steady to shippers and yard traders; bulls strong to 15¢ higher; better grade vealers fully steady, light kinds weak; early top light and long yearlings $14.50; weighty steers $14.00; numerous loads light yearlings $13.00 up to $14.25, less desirable kinds and butcher heifers $12.75 down to $11.10; not many steers in run of value to sell below $13.00; stockers and feeders firm, largely $11.00 to $12.25; weighty sausage bulls up to $9.75 on shipper account, most offerings $9.00 to $9.50; better grade vealers $14.00 to $15.00, few $15.50, talking $11.50 to $12.50 on light kinds.
Hogs:- Slow, mostly steady with Saturday's average; parctical top $11.65 paid for an occasional load of 160 to 200-lb. weights; odd lots of strictly choice 155 to 180-lb. averages at $11.70 and $11.75; bulk of good and choice 160 to 240-lb. averages $11.45 to $11.60; 250 to 300-lb. weights $11.35 to $11.50; choice light lights and pigs scarce; bulk of better grade 130 to 150-lb. weights $10.50 to $11.40; pigs mostly $9.25 to $10.25, choice strong weights up to $10.75; bulk packing sows $10.35 to $10.50, smooth sorts up to $10.65.
Sheep:- Slow; few early sales strictly choice handy-weight wooled lambs to packers and shippers at $17.50, around steady, others held higher; bulk desirable woolskins $17.25 and above; odd lots throwouts $15.00 downward; best clippers held above $16.50; culls largely around $12.00; sheep steady; odd lots fat clipped ewes $9.00 to $10.00; handyweight woolskins $11.00 and above; practically nothing doing on the light supply of feeding and shearing lambs.

Kansas City Market 11:00 A. M.

Cattle:- Fed steers moderately active, steady to easier; fairly broad demand for the better kind light weight steers; light yearlings and she stock fully steady; bulls firm; vealers steady to strong; stockers and feeders steady to strong, spots higher; four loads choice 1163-lb. steers $14.10; 1237-lb. averages $13.85; bulk desirable fed offerings early $12.75 to $13.75; fat light yearlings $12.00 to $13.50; bulk butcher cows $8.50 to $10.00, odd lots upward to $11.00; all cutters $5.75 to $7.50; medium bulls of strong weight $8.75 to $9.00; vealers mostly $15.00 down, few $15.50 to $16.00; bulk stockers and feeders $11.75 to $13.50; 294 head string 518-lb. stockers $14.25.
Hogs:- Moderately active to shippers; generally steady with Saturday's average; big packers inactive; top $11.20 for 190 to 220-lbs.; bulk desirable 170 to 280-lbs. $11.00 to $11.20; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.25 to $11.00; packing sows mostly 25¢ lower, $9.00 to $10.00; stock pigs steady to strong, $8.75 to $10.40.
Sheep:- Lambs fairly active, strong to 15¢ higher; top woolskins $17.30, bulk $17.00 to $17.25; clippers $14.50 to $15.60; Arizona springers $19.00 to $19.25; sheep scarce, steady; Arizona shorn ewes $10.00; 105-lb. shorn aged wethers $10.00; shearing lambs $16.00 to $16.25.

	Grade	Nat'l. Stk. Yds. Close	Chicago 10:30 A.M.	Kansas City 11:00 A.M.	Omaha 11:00 A.M.
Hogs:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)					
Hvy. Wts. (250-350#)	Med-Ch	$11.10-11.40	$11.25-11.50	$10.60-11.10	$10.70-11.10
Med. Wts. (200-250#)	Med-Ch	11.10-11.45	11.25-11.65	10.80-11.20	10.70-11.15
Lt. Wts. (160-200#)	Med-Ch	10.75-11.45	11.00-11.65	10.30-11.20	10.40-11.10
Lt. Lts. (130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.00-11.40	10.00-11.35	10.15-11.00	9.75-10.90
Packing sows, smooth and rough		9.60-10.10	10.15-10.65	9.00-10.00	9.75-10.30
Slaughter Pigs (90-130#)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.25	8.75-10.75	8.75-10.40	----------
Fdr & Stkr. Pigs (70-130#)	Med-Ch	8.00-10.25	----------	8.75-10.40	9.00-10.00
Av. Cost & Wt. Sat. (Pigs Exc)		11.15-200#	11.39-256#	11.03-222#	10.99-260#
Av. Cost & Wt. Week (Pigs Exc)		11.28-201#	11.37-243#	10.93-235#	10.97-258#
Slaughter Cattle, Calves and Vealers:-					
Steers: (1500# up)	Gd-Ch	----------	13.25-14.25	----------	----------
Steers: (1300-1500#)	Choice	13.75-14.50	14.00-14.50	13.40-14.25	13.25-14.25
	Good	12.75-13.75	13.25-14.00	12.75-13.40	12.50-13.25
Steers: (1100-1300#)	Choice	13.75-14.50	14.00-14.60	13.40-14.50	13.50-14.50
	Good	12.75-13.75	13.50-14.00	12.75-13.75	12.75-13.75
Steers: (950-1100#)	Choice	13.75-14.75	14.00-14.60	13.75-14.50	13.75-14.75
	Good	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.25	13.00-13.75	13.00-13.75
Steers: (800# up)	Medium	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.00
	Common	9.50-12.00	9.75-12.00	9.50-11.75	9.50-12.00
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)	Choice	14.00-14.75	14.25-14.75	13.75-14.50	13.75-14.75
	Good	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.25	12.50-13.75	13.00-13.75
Heifers: (850# dn)	Choice	13.50-14.25	13.75-14.50	12.25-13.75	13.00-14.00
	Good	12.50-13.50	12.75-13.75	11.50-12.75	12.00-13.00
	Com-Med	8.75-12.75	9.25-13.00	8.25-11.75	8.75-12.00
Heifers: (850# up)	Choice	11.25-13.75	11.50-14.25	11.25-13.00	11.25-13.50
	Good	10.25-13.25	10.50-13.75	10.00-12.25	10.25-12.75
	Medium	9.00-12.50	9.50-12.75	8.50-11.50	9.00-11.75
Cows:	Choice	10.50-11.25	10.50-11.50	10.25-11.00	10.25-11.25
	Good	9.50-10.50	9.25-10.50	9.25-10.25	9.50-10.25
	Com-Med	8.00- 9.50	8.00- 9.50	7.50- 9.25	7.75- 9.50
	Low Cut-Cut	5.75- 8.00	6.25- 8.00	5.50- 7.50	6.25- 7.75
Bulls: (Ylg. Exc. Beef.)	Gd-Ch	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.50	9.00-10.00	9.00-10.25
	Cut-Med	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75	7.00- 9.00	7.50- 9.00
Calves: (500# dn)	Med-Ch	9.50-12.50	10.00-13.00	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.50
	Cull-Com	6.50- 9.50	7.00-10.00	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.50
Vealers: (Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	13.50-15.00	12.00-15.50	12.00-16.00	12.00-15.00
	Medium	11.00-13.50	10.50-12.00	9.50-12.00	11.00-12.00
	Cull-Com	6.00-11.00	7.50-10.50	6.00- 9.50	6.00-11.00
Feeder and Stocker Cattle and Calves:-					
Steers: (800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.00	11.75-13.25
	Com-Med	9.00-11.50	9.75-11.75	9.25-12.00	9.50-11.75
Steers: (800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	12.00-14.25	12.00-14.00
	Com-Med	8.50-11.50	9.75-11.75	9.00-12.00	9.25-12.00
Heifers:	Gd-Ch	11.00-12.00	9.50-11.25	9.75-11.50	9.50-11.25
	Com-Med	8.50-11.00	8.75- 9.50	7.50- 9.75	8.00- 9.50
Cows:	Gd-Ch	8.50- 9.25	8.25- 8.75	7.75- 8.75	7.75- 8.75
	Com-Med	7.50- 8.50	7.75- 8.25	6.75- 7.75	6.50- 7.75
Calves: (Steers)	Gd-Ch	----------	----------	12.00-14.25	11.50-14.00
	Medium	----------	----------	10.00-12.00	9.00-11.50
Slaughter Sheep and Lambs:-*					
Lambs: (84# dn)	Gd-Ch	15.25-16.25	16.75-17.65	16.00-17.30	16.50-17.00
(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	15.25-16.25	16.60-17.65	16.00-17.30	16.25-17.00
(92# dn)	Medium	13.75-15.25	16.00-16.75	14.75-16.00	15.50-16.50
(92-100#)	Med-Ch	----------	15.75-17.50	15.00-17.00	15.50-16.85
(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	10.00-13.75	12.00-16.00	10.50-14.75	11.75-15.50
Yearling Wethers (110# dn)	Med-Ch	10.00-14.00	11.50-15.50	11.00-15.25	11.00-14.75
Ewes: (120# dn)	Med-Ch	7.75- 9.50	9.50-12.00	8.50-11.00	8.50-11.00
(120-150#)	Med-Ch	7.25- 9.25	9.25-11.75	8.25-10.75	8.25-10.75
(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	3.25- 7.75	4.50- 9.50	4.00- 8.50	4.00- 8.50
Feeding Sheep and Lambs:-					
Feeding Lambs (Range Stk.)	Gd-Ch	----------	15.00-16.75	----------	14.50-16.25
	Medium	----------	13.25-15.00	----------	13.00-14.50

*National Stock Yard Sheep quotations on shorn basis; Kansas City, Chicago and Omaha on wooled basis.

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-TUESDAY-APRIL 16, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**3,200	**2,000	15,500	2,200
CHICAGO	7,000	4,000	20,000	13,000
KANSAS CITY	8,000	1,200	11,000	12,000
OMAHA	9,500	500	12,000	7,000
ST. JOSEPH	1,400	200	3,000	7,500
ST. PAUL	2,200	2,800	6,000	800
SIOUX CITY	2,500	200	8,500	3,000
CINCINNATI	350	400	3,000	75
INDIANAPOLIS	1,500	700	6,000	200
PITTSBURG	25	50	750	350
BUFFALO	--	100	800	100
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	35,675	12,150	86,550	46,225
ONE WEEK AGO	35,050	10,275	100,900	49,200
ONE YEAR AGO	36,225	12,375	90,690	34,025
TO DATE THIS WEEK	90,775	26,600	218,270	109,150
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	92,350	23,000	212,230	113,475
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	97,200	26,050	200,190	90,775

**RUN INCLUDES 500 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, 1,200 THROUGH AND 800 DIRECT; CHICAGO, 1,300; KANSAS CITY, 700; OMAHA, 750; ST. JOSEPH, 150; SIOUX CITY, 100; ST. PAUL, NONE.

NAT'L. STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-MONDAY-APRIL 15, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	2,039	2,280	14,879	483
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	1,205	205	6,704	--
PACKER PURCHASES	1,257	1,161	5,250	390

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-TUESDAY-APRIL 16, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P.M.)

CATTLE: MORNING ESTIMATES CALLED FOR 3,200 CATTLE TODAY, AS AGAINST ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 2,950 LAST TUESDAY, AND TOTAL UNLOADINGS OF 4,129 THE CORRESPONDING DAY A YEAR AGO.

SUPPLIES OF CATTLE WERE MORE NUMEROUS HERE TODAY AND IT WAS VERY LARGELY A STEER RUN, WITH LIGHTWEIGHT STEERS PREDOMINATING. QUALITY AND CONDITION WAS GRADUATED ALL THE WAY FROM PLAIN QUALITIED "YELLOWHAMMERS" IN A COMMON FLESH CONDITION TO GOOD QUALITIED KINDS, SOME OF WHICH HAD SEEN A SUFFICIENTLY LONG TURN IN THE FEED LOT TO APPROACH AND ENTER THE CHOICE CLASSIFICATION. IT WAS ONLY NATURAL TO EXPECT THAT SOME BEARISHNESS WOULD ENTER THE TRADE ON STEERS UNDER THIS LIBERAL OFFERINGS, BUT THE FINAL RESULT FROM THE FINISHERS STANDPOINT WAS QUITE FAVORABLE. SALESMEN WERE NOT IN A MOOD TO LET THE BUYERS HAVE THE UPPERHAND AND AS A RESULT TRADING RULED SLOW, WITH HERE AND THERE A LOAD CHANGING HANDS EARLY AT STEADY TERMS. SHORTLY BEFORE THE NOON HOUR A FAIRLY COMPLETE CLEARANCE HAD BEEN MADE, BETTER GRADE LIGHTWEIGHT AND YEARLING STEERS BEING GENERALLY STEADY, WITH OTHERS UNEVENLY STEADY TO 10-15¢ LOWER, ONLY A SMALL PROPORTION SHOWING ANY DECLINES. OTHER CLASSES HELD TO A GENERALLY STEADY DEAL, SPOTS STRONG, WITH VEALERS RECEIVING A PRICE BOOST OF 50¢. A HEALTHY DEMAND WAS IN STORE FOR MIXED YEARLINGS, HEIFERS, COWS AND ALL CUTTERS, WHILE BUYERS LOST NO TIME IN PICKING UP THE SMALL AND SCATTERED SHOWING OF MEDIUM BULLS AT STEADY TO STRONG FIGURES.

SEVERAL NEW TOPS WERE ESTABLISHED TODAY GOING BACK TO JANUARY FOR THEIR EQUAL. A LOAD OF YEARLING STEERS AVERAGING 943# CASHED AT $14.35, WITH SEVERAL LOADS AT $14.00, WHILE TOP MEDIUM WEIGHTS SCALING 1265# REACHED $14.10 AND A LOAD OF 1220# AVERAGES STOPPED AT $14.00. BULK OF ALL STEERS CLEARED AT $12.50 TO $13.60, SOME YELLOWHAMMERS DOWN TO $11.60 OR BELOW. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS WENT LARGELY AT $11.75 TO $13.75, ONE LOAD AVERAGING 690# REGISTERING $14.00. MOST COWS TURNED AT $8.75 TO $10.25, A FEW CHOICE UPWARD TO $11.50, WITH LOW CUTTERS RANGING FROM $6.00 TO $7.00 MOSTLY, WITH CUTTERS UPWARD TO $8.00 OR ABOVE. THE PRACTICAL TOP ON MEDIUM BULLS WAS $9.50, A FEW RECORDING $9.75, WHILE GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS TOPPED AND BULKED AT $15.50 TO SHIPPERS AND PACKERS.

HOGS: MILD UNEVENNESS RULED IN THE HOG MARKET TODAY, THOUGH LITTLE NET CHANGE IN PRICE WAS RECORDED. RECEIPTS WERE MODERATE THOUGH A LITTLE SHORT OF THAT OF A WEEK AGO. EARLY SHIPPING DEMAND APPEARED TO BE LIMITED AND BEARISHNESS ON THE PART OF ALL BUYING INTERESTS RESULTED IN OPENING SALES BEING MADE STEADY TO A SHADE LOWER THAN MONDAY'S AVERAGE. DRESSED PORK IN THE EAST CONTINUED TO FIND AN IMPROVED TRADE HOWEVER AND LOCAL SHIPPING OUTLET EXPANDED WITH THE RESULT THAT LATE TRADE SAW ALL THE LOSS REGAINED AND CLOSING TRENDS STRONG WITH MONDAY'S BEST TIME, OCCASIONAL SALES EVEN REFLECTING A SLIGHT ADVANCE. PACKERS ADDED THEIR STRENGTH TO THE DEAL AT THE CLOSE THOUGH COMPARATIVELY FEW WERE LEFT FOR THESE INTERESTS. LOCAL SUPPLIES WERE ESTIMATED AT 15,500 INCLUDING 2,000 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL MARKETINGS OF 15,576 LAST TUESDAY AND 15,346 A YEAR AGO.

EARLY SALES COMPRISED 180-260# WEIGHTS AT $11.35 TO $11.40, LATTER PRICE THE HIGHEST OBTAINED UNTIL AROUND MIDSESSION. OCCASIONAL LOTS OF WEIGHTIER BUTCHERS SOLD AT $11.30 AND A FEW AS LOW AS $11.25. AT THE CLOSE ALL INTERESTS WERE PAYING $11.40 AND $11.45 FOR DESIRABLE HOGS WITHIN THE ABOVE WEIGHT SPREAD, ONLY WEIGHTIER DESCRIPTIONS SELLING AT $11.35 AND DOWNWARD. TOP PRICE WAS $11.50, PAID LATE FOR TWO LOADS OF CHOICE LIGHT HOGS. MAJORITY OF 130-160# LIGHT LIGHTS CONTINUED TO FIND AN OUTLET AT $10.00 TO $11.00, WHILE PIGS SCALING 130# AND DOWNWARD EARNED $9.25 TO $10.00. COMMON LIGHT SOUTHERN PIGS SOLD DOWNWARD TO $8.00 AND BELOW. BULK OF PACKING SOWS EARNED $9.35 TO $10.00 WITH $9.90 A VERY POPULAR FIGURE.

SHEEP: SHEEP AND LAMB RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 2,200 COMPARED WITH ACTUAL MARKETINGS OF 1,954 LAST TUESDAY AND 811 A YEAR AGO. OVER HALF OF THE RUN WAS IN ON THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLING SO DID NOT ENTER INTO THE MARKET. LAMB TRADE CARRIED A STRONG UNDERTONE BUT COULD NOT BE QUOTED HIGHER ON THE REPORTED SALES. FAT EWES ADVANCED 25¢ TO MOSTLY 50¢, WITH A STRAIGHT DECK OF WOOLED OFFERINGS FURNISHING BULK OF THESE SUPPLIES. PACKERS PAID $16.25 FOR A DECK OF CHOICE 87# SHORN LAMBS WITH OTHER SALES RANGING FROM $15.50 TO $16.00, LOWER FIGURE TAKING A DOUBLE DECK. A FEW SMALL LOTS OF WOOLED LAMBS WENT TO PACKERS AT $17.00 TO $17.25. A DOUBLE DECK OF WOOLED LAMBS WERE OFFERED BUT RECEIVED UNSATISFACTORY BIDS AND REMAINED UNSOLD. A DECK OF 120# WOOLED EWES EARNED $11.00 AND SHORN EWES ARE QUOTABLE FROM $10.00 DOWNWARD. SPRING LAMBS WERE SCARCE, ONE SMALL LOT SELLING TO A PACKER AT $19.25 STRAIGHT.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: ALL KILLING CLASSES ACTIVE, STEADY TO STRONG; SPOTS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER ON ALL CLASSES; LARGELY A FED STEER RUN WITH NUMEROUS CHOICE LOADS INCLUDED; BULK STEERS & YLGS. $12.75 TO $14.00; WGHTY. STEERS 1350# $14.25; SEVERAL LOADS LIGHT STEERS $14.35 TO $14.50; OUTSIDE PRICE INCLUDING TWO LOADS AVERAGING 1150#; HFRS. $12.00 TO $13.75; 702# WGTS. $14.10; BULK BEEF COWS $8.75 TO $10.50; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.25 TO $8.00; MEDIUM BULLS $8.25 TO $9.00; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $15.00.

HOGS: STEADY TO 10¢ LOWER TO SHIPPERS; TOP $11.10 ON 230-250# BUTCHERS; BULK 180-320# $10.50 TO $11.00; BIG PACKERS BIDDING $10.85 FREELY ON ABOVE WEIGHTS; LIGHT LIGHTS DOWNWARDS TO $10.25; PACKING SOWS $9.75 TO $10.15; FEEDER PIGS $9.25 TO $10.00.

SHEEP: LAMBS 25-40¢ HIGHER; OTHER CLASSES FIRM; EARLY SALES FED WOOLED LAMBS $17.00 TO $17.50; SOME HELD HIGHER; FED CLIPPED LAMBS UPTO $16.25; NATIVE SPRING LAMBS $18.50 DOWN; WOOLED EWES $11.00; SHORN EWES $9.75.

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2:16 P.M.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, TUESDAY, APRIL 16, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- YEARLINGS AND LIGHT STEERS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; LIGHT HEIFER AND MIXED YEARLINGS ANDDESIRABLE BUTCHER HEIFERS SHOWING ADVANCE; MEDIUM-WEIGHT AND WEIGHTY STEERS SLOW; BUYERS RESISTING HIGHER ASKING PRICES; FEW SALES WEIGHTY BULLOCKS STEADY; FAT COWS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER, SUPPLY SCARCE; CUTTERS FIRM; BULLS FULLY STEADY; BETTER GRADE VEALERS WITH WEIGHT PREDOMINATING, STRONG TO 50¢ HIGHER, ESPECIALLY ON SHIPPER KINDS; LIGHT OFFERINGS NOT MOVING, BIDDING LOWER ON KINDS SCALING 108-LBS. DOWNWARD, PROSPECTS ABOUT STEADY; ACTIVE COUNTRY TRADE ON STOCKERS AND FEEDERS, SEVERAL LOADS SELLING LATE YESTERDAY ON COUNTRY ACCOUNT $12.30 DOWNWARD TO $12.00; EARLY TOP FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $14.50; MIXED YEARLINGS ALSO AT THAT PRICE; LIGHT HEIFERS $14.40; BULK FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $13.00 TO $14.25; SOME LIGHT STEERS HELD ABOVE $14.75.

HOGS:- MOSTLY STEADY WITH MONDAY'S AVERAGE; TOP $11.60 PAID FOR AN OCCASIONAL LOAD OF 170 TO 210-LB. WEIGHTS; BULK OF BETTER GRADE 180 TO 230-LB. AVERAGES $11.35 TO $11.50, MOSTLY $11.40 AND $11.50 FOR CHOICE SORTS; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 240 TO 320-LB. WEIGHTS $11.25 TO $11.40, FEW STRICTLY CHOICE LOADS AT INSIDE WEIGHT AT $11.45 AND $11.50; BULK OF DESIRABLE 130 TO 150-LB. AVERAGES $10.50 TO $11.40; PIGS MOSTLY $9.25 TO $10.25, CHOICE STRONG WEIGHTS UP TO $10.75 AND ABOVE; PACKING SOWS LARGELY $10.25 TO $10.50.

SHEEP:- MARKET FAIRLY ACTIVE; FAT LAMBS AROUND 25¢ HIGHER; BULK DESIRABLE WOOLSKINS $17.35 TO $17.75; SORTED HANDYWEIGHTS TO SHIPPERS $17.85; BEST CLIPPERS EARLY $16.85, SEVERAL LOADS $16.25 TO $16.75; THROWOUTS VERY SCARCE; SHEEP STRONG; GOOD LOTS WOOLED EWES $11.50 TO $11.75; NO FEEDING AND SHEARING LAMBS ON SALE.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- LIGHTER WEIGHT STEERS AVERAGING 1150-LBS. AND DOWN FAIRLY ACTIVE, FULLY STEADY; LITTLE DONE ON WEIGHTY STEERS; TALKING AROUND 15 TO 25¢ LOWER; LIGHT YEARLINGS AND SHE STOCK FAIRLY ACTIVE, STEADY TO STRONG; SPOTS HIGHER ON BOTH LIGHT YEARLINGS AND COWS; BULLS AND CALVES STEADY; VEALERS STEADY TO 50¢ HIGHER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS SCARCE, FULLY STEADY; EARLY TOP YEARLING STEERS $14.15, SOME HELD HIGHER; THREE LOADS CHOICE/ 1137-LB. STEERS $14.10; BULK DESIRABLE LIGHT WEIGHT STEERS SELLING UPWARD FROM $13.00; COMMON 673-LB. DOGIES $11.50; CHOICE 735-LB. HEIFERS $13.75; NUMEROUS LOADS FAT LIGHT YEARLINGS $12.50 TO $13.50; BULK BUTCHER COWS $8.75 TO $10.25; FEW CHOICE HEAVY COWS UPWARD TO $11.00 AND ABOVE; GOOD TO CHOICE VEALERS $13.00 TO $16.00; FEW STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $11.75 TO $13.00; LIGHT YEARLINGS $13.95.

HOGS:- ACTIVE, STEADY TO 10¢ LOWER THAN MONDAY'S AVERAGE; TOP $11.10 ON CHOICE 200 TO 225-LBS.; BULK DESIRABLE 170 TO 250-LBS. $10.90 TO $11.10; 140 TO 160-LBS. $10.00 TO $10.85; 290 TO 320-LBS. $10.75 TO $11.05; PACKING SOWS STEADY, $9.00 TO $10.00; STOCK PIGS $9.75 TO $10.40.

SHEEP:- ACTIVE; FAT LAMBS 25 TO 40¢ HIGHER; ARIZONA SPRINGERS $19.60 TO $19.65; TOP WOOLSKINS $17.35, BULK $17.25 TO $17.60; SHORN LAMBS $15.75 TO $16.00; SHORN YEARLINGS $14.50 TO $15.00; SHEEP STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; ARIZONA SHORN EWES $10.25; SHORN TEXAS WETHERS $10.00.

			NAT'L. STK. YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)						
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$11.15-11.40	$11.15-11.50	$10.60-11.05	$10.60-11.10
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	11.20-11.45	11.15-11.60	10.70-11.10	10.65-11.10
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	10.75-11.50	11.00-11.60	10.50-11.10	10.40-11.10
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.00-11.45	10.00-11.30	10.00-10.85	9.75-10.85
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.30-10.10	10.15-10.60	9.00-10.00	9.65-10.25
SLAUGHTER PIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	8.25-10.25	8.75-10.75	8.75-10.40	-----------
FDR & STKR. PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	8.00-10.25	-----------	8.75-10.40	9.00-10.00
AV. COST & WT. MON. (PIGS EXC.)			11.03-207#	11.37-242#	10.93-232#	10.94-252#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	-----------	13.25-14.50	-----------	-----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.60-14.50	14.25-14.75	13.40-14.25	13.50-14.25
		GOOD	12.75-13.60	13.25-14.25	12.75-13.40	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.60-14.50	14.25-14.75	13.40-14.50	13.50-14.50
		GOOD	12.75-13.75	13.25-14.25	12.75-13.75	12.75-13.75
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.75	14.00-14.85	13.75-14.50	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.25	13.00-13.75	13.00-13.75
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.00
		COMMON	9.50-12.00	10.00-12.00	9.50-11.75	9.50-12.00
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	14.00-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.75-14.50	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.25	12.75-13.75	13.00-13.75
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	13.50-14.25	14.00-14.50	12.50-13.75	13.00-14.25
		GOOD	12.50-13.50	12.75-14.00	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.00
		COM-MED	8.75-12.75	9.50-13.00	8.50-12.00	8.75-12.00
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	11.25-13.75	11.50-14.25	11.50-13.25	11.25-13.30
		GOOD	10.25-13.25	10.75-13.75	10.25-12.50	10.25-12.75
		MEDIUM	9.00-12.50	9.75-12.75	8.75-11.75	9.00-11.75
COWS:		CHOICE	10.50-11.50	10.50-11.50	10.50-11.50	10.25-11.25
		GOOD	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.25
		COM-MED	8.00- 9.50	8.00- 9.50	7.75-[illegible].50	8.00- 9.50
		LOW CUT-CUT	5.75- 8.00	6.50- 8.00	5.75- 7.75	6.25- 8.00
BULLS: (YLG. EXC. BEEF.)		GD-CH	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.50	9.00-10.00	9.00-10.25
		CUT-MED	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75	7.00- 9.00	7.50- 9.00
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	10.00-13.00	10.00-13.00	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.50
		CULL-COM	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.00	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.50
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	14.00-15.50	12.50-16.00	12.50-16.00	12.00-15.00
		MEDIUM	11.50-14.00	10.50-12.50	10.00-12.50	11.00-12.00
		CULL-COM	6.00-11.50	7.50-10.50	6.00-10.00	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.00	11.75-13.25
		COM-MED	9.00-11.50	9.75-11.75	9.25-12.00	9.50-11.75
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	11.75-13.00	12.00-14.25	12.00-14.00
		COM-MED	8.50-11.50	9.75-11.75	9.25-12.00	9.25-12.00
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	11.00-12.00	9.75-11.50	10.00-11.50	9.50-11.25
		COM-MED	8.50-11.00	8.75- 9.75	7.75-10.00	8.00- 9.50
COWS:		GD-CH	8.50- 9.25	8.25- 8.75	8.00- 9.00	7.75- 8.75
		COM-MED	7.50- 8.50	7.75- 8.25	7.00- 8.00	6.50- 7.75
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	-----------	-----------	12.00-14.25	11.50-14.25
		MEDIUM	-----------	-----------	10.00-12.00	9.00-11.50
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-*						
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	-----------	-----------	18.25-19.65	-----------
		MEDIUM	-----------	-----------	16.75-18.25	-----------
		CULL-COM	-----------	-----------	14.25-16.75	-----------
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	15.25-16.25	17.15-17.85	16.25-17.65	16.75-17.35
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	15.25-16.25	17.10-17.85	16.25-17.65	16.50-17.35
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	13.75-15.25	16.25-17.15	15.00-16.25	15.75-16.75
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	-----------	16.00-17.65	15.25-17.25	15.75-17.50
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	10.00-13.75	12.50-16.25	10.50-15.00	12.00-15.75
YEARLING WETHERS	(110# DN)	MED-CH	10.00-14.00	11.75-15.75	11.00-15.25	11.00-14.75
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	8.25-10.00	9.50-12.00	8.50-11.00	8.50-11.00
	(120-150#)	MED-CH.	7.75- 9.75	9.25-11.75	8.25-10.75	8.25-10.75
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	3.50- 8.25	4.50- 9.00	4.00- 8.50	4.00- 8.50
FEEDING SHEEP AND LAMBS:-						
FEEDING LAMBS (RANGE STK.)		GD-CH	-----------	15.00-16.75	-----------	14.50-16.25
		MEDIUM	-----------	13.25-15.00	-----------	13.00-14.50

*NATIONAL STOCK YARDS SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS; CHICAGO, KANSAS CITY, OMAHA ON WOOLED BASIS.

4/16/29, 12:30 P.M. KJF.

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Daily Report of Livestock Market-Wednesday-April 17, 1929

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
National Stock Yards	**2,800	**1,800	13,500	1,800
Chicago	7,000	3,000	16,000	11,000
Kansas City	7,500	1,200	11,000	12,000
Omaha	7,500	500	14,000	14,000
St. Joseph	2,600	500	6,500	6,000
St. Paul	3,000	4,000	10,000	300
Sioux City	2,500	200	7,500	3,500
Cincinnati	375	600	2,200	50
Indianapolis	1,100	800	7,000	200
Pittsburg	---	150	1,200	1,200
Buffalo	125	250	1,000	200
Total 11 markets	34,500	13,000	89,900	50,250
One week ago	25,700	10,175	78,500	41,050
One year ago	29,375	11,625	96,930	38,150
To date this week	125,275	39,600	303,170	159,400
Same period last week	118,550	33,175	290,730	154,525
Same period last year	126,575	37,675	297,170	128,925

**Run includes 850 cattle and calves on through billing. Today's estimated hog receipts include estimated unloads of through and direct billed hogs as follows: National Stock Yards 500 through; Chicago 6,000; Kansas City 700; Omaha 700; St. Joseph 100; Sioux City 500; St. Paul 150.

Nat'l. Stock Yards Receipts, Shipments and Packer Purchases-Tuesday-April 16, 1929.

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Actual receipts	4,022	1,964	15,701	3,066
Total shipments	718	1,506	8,710	1,274
Packer purchases	2,558	1,053	4,427	1,117

National Stock Yards Livestock Market-Wednesday-April 17, 1929
(Based on Market Conditions and Sales Reported up to 1:00 P. M.)

CATTLE: Receipts of cattle were estimated at 2800, as against actual arrivals of 1301 last Wednesday, and 2234 by actual count the corresponding day last year.

The steer supply was moderately light today in comparison with the rather liberal offering of yesterday. There was nothing outstanding about the steers either as to quality or condition, most of the material being medium and good grades. Scaleward movement was slow on early rounds, only a few loads changing hands at about steady terms, and from all appearances there were many indications of weakness to follow. It was not long afterward, however, that trading was on in earnest and the final result was a generally steady deal, although with a little unevenness present. A few sales showed some little strength, while others took the opposite course to a small degree especially on rough heavier kinds. The feature of the trade centered around a load of strictly choice light heifers which set a new top on straight heifers for the year and not equaled since Oct. 1, 1928. These attracted considerable attention from buyers on account of their condition and display of an unusually high dressing percentage. Better grade lightweight mixed yearlings and heifers sold strong, spots higher, while other grades ruled somewhat slow but about steady. There was no noticeable change in prices on cows, all cutters and bulls, but the vealer market took another jump placing values 50¢ above yesterday's level.

Best steers today were two loads of 1031-lb. averages which placed the top at $13.90, while two cars each of 1170 and 1133-lb. averages reached $13.70 and $13.75 respectively. The bulk of the steers cleared at $12.35 to $13.75, with some yellowhammers downward to $11.75 or below. The above metioned choice heifers averaged 611-lbs. and placed the new top at $14.75, while the majority of the mixed yearlings and heifers were confined to a spread of $11.75 to $13.75. Individual choice cows sold upward from $11.00, with the big bulk of the butcher cows going at $8.75 to $10.25, a few low cutters $6.00 to $7.00 and cutters upward to $8.00 or above. The practical top on medium bulls was $9.50, a few on the butcher order reaching $9.75 and strictly butcher kinds upward to $10.00 or above. Good and choice vealers went largely on shipper account at $16.00.

HOGS:- Hog trade continued to carry a strong undertone with gradually rising prices. Early shipping demand appeared to be limited but expanded later with the result that opening sales were steady to a shade lower than Tuesday's average, but later trade, which comprised bulk of sales, was strong to 10¢ higher. Shippers and butchers bought freely until mid-session when packers added their strength and the close was active to all interests at the high point of the day. Pigs and light lights were in demand and ruled steady to strong, while packing sows averaged 5 to 10¢ higher. Local receipts were estimated at 13,500 including 500 billed through compared with actual receipts of 8,800 last Wednesday and 10,570 a year ago. The holdover from yesterday was 2,500 head. Total at eleven points figured around 89,900 compared with 78,500 a week ago.

Although a few early sales of butchers with weight and some bordering on the light light order were made at $11.35, bulk of all sales all day ranged from $11.40 to $11.50, this spread taking practically all 150 to 250-lb. weights. Strongweight butchers were comparatively scarce. Top price near the close touched $11.55, this figure taking a few loads of choice around 200-lb. averages. Majority of 130 to 150-lb. light lights moved at $10.00 to $11.00, occasional sales of strong 150-lb. weights up to $11.25. Pigs scaling 120 to 130-lbs. realized $9.75 to $10.00 and up to $10.25 in instances, while lighter pigs of good quality ranged downward to around $8.50, common Southern pigs as low as $5.50. Bulk of packing sows moved at $9.90 to $10.10.

SHEEP:- Receipts in the sheephouse were estimated at 1,800 head majority of which were in on through or direct billing. The run last Wednesday totaled 298 and a year ago 2,308 were marketed. Salable supplies were confined to one straight load, mostly lambs, and several odd lots of lambs, sheep and spring lambs. The market on lambs carried a strong undertone and some sales appeared to be 25¢ above the price of early in the week. A city butcher bought 69 head of good to choice 73-lb. clipped lambs at $16.25, with around twenty five head of choice grades topping at $16.50. No wooled lambs were offered. Cull clippers are quotable around $11.00 to $13.00. Packers bought 27 head of 60-lb. spring lambs at $19.00, a city butcher taking a smaller lot at $20.00. Wooled ewes sold from $11.00 downward while most of the clipped ewes realized $9.00 to $9.75.

Omaha Market 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- Fed steers and yearlings steady to strong; heifers strong; cows strong to 25¢ higher; bulls steady; veals 50¢ higher at $15.50; stockers and feeders scarce, steady; fed steers and yearlings $12.75 to $14.25; light steers and yearlings above $14.25, 1032-lbs. $14.75; heifers mostly $12.00 to $13.75; mixed yearlings $14.10; beef cows $8.00 to $11.75; cutters $6.50 to $8.00; bulls $8.50 to $10.50.

HOGS:- Steady to 10¢ higher; top $11.15; bulk 190-320-lb. $11.00-11.15; 130 to 190-lb. $10.50-$11.10; packing sows and stags $9.75-$10.25; feeder pigs $9.25 to $10.00.

SHEEP:-Steady; early sales fed wooled lambs $17.35-$17.75; fed clipped lambs $16.25; wooled ewes $11.00, shorn $9.75. See Other Side.

4/17/29, 2:55 P.M. ACA

DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- Almost run away market on lower grade fed steers, all grades fed yearlings and she stock, fully 25¢ higher; spots 50¢ up on she stock; better grade fed steers steady to strong, much less active than lower grades; stockers firm to 25¢ higher; bulls 10 to 15¢ up and vealers 50¢ higher; early top weighty bullocks $14.90; medium weights held at $15.00; numerous loads yearlings $14.00 to $14.75; 634-lb. yearling heifers $14.85; buyers taking low priced steers at $13.00 downward, yard practically cleared of such kinds; most better grade steers $13.75 to $14.50; several loads weighty offerings $14.25 to $14.85; low cutter cows $6.50 to $8.25, most fat offerings $9.00 to $10.25; heavy koshers up to $12.00; weighty sausage bulls on shipper account $9.60 to $9.75; very few light bulls under $9.00; largely $13.00 to $14.00 market on vealers scaling 103 to 112-lbs., shippers up to $16.00.

HOGS:- Mostly 10 to 15¢ higher than Tuesday's average; top $11.75 paid for a load of around 185-lb. weights; bulk of good and choice 160 to 240-lb. averages $11.50 to $11.65; 250 to 320-lb. weights $11.35 to $11.55; mostly an $11.45 and $11.50 market on choice heavy butchers; bulk of better grade 130 to 150-lb. averages $10.75 to $11.50; strictly choice 150-lb. weights up to $11.65; pigs mostly $9.50 to $10.50; choice 130-lb. averages up to $11.00; packing sows largely $10.40 to $10.60; few smooth light weights up to $10.75.

SHEEP:- Very slow; little early trading on fat lambs, steady to strong, with medium to good clippers at $16.35 to $16.50; nothing done on woolskins, best kinds held upward to $18.00; sheep scarce, strong; few choice handyweight clipped ewes $10.50, throwouts $9.00; no feeding or shearing lambs offered.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- Light weight steers active, steady to strong, spots slightly higher; fed steers scaling 1200-lbs. up slow, mostly steady; slow trade on light mixed yearlings and fed heifers; few sales about steady; slaughter cows very scarce, fully steady; bulls, vealers and calves little changed; stockers and feeders scarce, firm; choice yearling steers $14.60, 1155-lb. weights $14.50; numerous loads choice 950-lbs. to 1150-lb. steers $13.90 to $14.25; three loads 1123-lb. Colorados $14.15; best heavy steers early $13.50, some held higher; bulk fed steers selling upward from $12.75; bulk butcher cows $8.75 to $10.25; medium bulls $8.75 to $9.00; good to choice vealers $13.00 to $16.00.

HOGS:- Fairly active, strong to 15¢ higher than Tuesday's average; light lights 10 to 25¢ higher; top $11.20 for 200 to 250-lb. butchers; bulk desirable 170 to 240-lbs. $11.10 to $11.20; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.25 to $11.10; 250 to 320-lbs. $10.85 to $11.15; packing sows mostly $9.50 to $10.15, few $10.25 or strong to 25¢ higher; stock pigs $9.00 to $10.40.

SHEEP:- Slow; fat lambs steady to 15¢ higher; four loads 77-lb. Arizona springers $19.80; woolskins $17.60 to $17.75; clippers $15.30 to $16.10; sheep scarce, steady to strong; shorn Arizona ewes $10.25; shorn Texas wethers $10.00.

HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A.M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$11.25-11.50	$11.25-11.60	$10.70-11.15	$10.70-11.15
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	11.25-11.55	11.25-11.75	10.80-11.25	10.75-11.15
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	10.85-11.55	11.10-11.75	10.30-11.25	10.50-11.15
Lt. Lts.	(130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.00-11.50	10.25-11.70	10.25-11.10	10.00-11.00
Packing sows, smooth and rough			9.65-10.15	10.20-10.75	9.25-10.25	9.65-10.25
Slaughter Pigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.25	9.00-11.00	8.75-10.40	------------
Fdr & Stkr. Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	8.00-10.25	------------	8.75-10.40	9.00-10.00
Av. Cost & Wt. Tues. (Pigs Exc)			11.10-219#	11.38-240#	10.68-241#	10.93-254#

SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-

			NAT'L.STK.YDS.	CHICAGO	KANSAS CITY	OMAHA
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	------------	13.25-14.75	------------	------------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.30-14.50	14.40-14.95	13.40-14.10	13.50-14.50
		Good	12.75-13.60	13.50-14.40	12.75-13.40	12.75-13.50
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.30-14.50	14.40-15.00	13.40-14.65	13.75-14.75
		Good	12.75-13.75	13.50-14.40	12.75-13.75	13.00-13.75
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	13.75-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.75-14.65	14.00-15.00
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.75-14.40	13.00-13.90	13.25-14.00
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	11.75-13.00	12.25-13.75	11.75-13.00	12.25-13.25
		Common	9.50-12.00	10.00-12.25	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.25
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)		Choice	14.00-14.75	14.50-15.00	13.90-14.65	14.00-15.00
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.75-14.50	13.00-13.90	13.25-14.00
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	13.75-14.75	14.00-14.85	12.50-13.75	13.25-14.25
		Good	12.75-13.75	13.00-14.25	11.75-13.00	12.25-13.25
		Com-Med	8.75-12.75	9.75-13.25	8.50-12.00	9.00-12.25
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	11.25-13.75	12.25-14.50	11.50-13.25	11.50-13.75
		Good	10.25-13.25	11.25-14.00	10.25-12.50	10.50-13.00
		Medium	9.00-12.50	10.00-13.00	8.75-11.75	9.00-12.00
Cows:		Choice	10.50-11.50	11.00-12.00	10.50-11.50	10.50-11.50
		Good	9.50-10.50	9.75-11.00	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.50
		Com-Med	8.00- 9.50	8.25- 9.75	7.75- 9.50	8.00- 9.50
		Low Cut-Cut	5.75- 8.00	6.50- 8.25	5.75- 7.75	6.25- 8.00
Bulls: (Ylg. Exc. Beef.)		Gd-Ch	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.50	9.00-10.00	9.00-10.50
		Cut-Med	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75	7.00- 9.00	7.50- 9.00
Calves:	(500# dn)	Med-Ch	10.00-13.00	10.00-13.00	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.50
		Cull-Com	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.00	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.50
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	14.50-16.00	13.00-16.00	12.50-16.00	12.50-15.50
		Medium	12.00-14.50	11.00-13.00	10.00-12.50	11.00-12.50
		Cull-Com	6.00-12.00	7.50-11.00	6.00-10.00	6.00-11.00

FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-

			NAT'L.STK.YDS.	CHICAGO	KANSAS CITY	OMAHA
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	12.00-13.25	12.00-13.00	11.75-13.25
		Com-Med	9.00-11.50	10.00-12.00	9.25-12.00	9.50-11.75
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	12.00-13.25	12.00-14.25	12.00-14.00
		Com-Med	8.50-11.50	10.00-12.00	9.25-12.00	9.25-12.00
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	11.00-12.00	10.00-11.75	10.25-11.75	9.50-11.25
		Com-Med	8.50-11.00	9.00-10.00	9.00-10.25	8.00- 9.50
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.50- 9.25	8.50- 9.00	8.00- 9.00	7.75- 8.75
		Com-Med	7.50- 8.50	8.00- 8.50	7.00- 8.00	6.50- 7.75
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	------------	------------	12.00-14.25	11.50-14.25
		Medium	------------	------------	10.00-12.00	9.00-11.50

SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-

			NAT'L.STK.YDS.	CHICAGO	KANSAS CITY	OMAHA
Spring Lambs:		Gd-Ch	------------	------------	18.50-19.85	------------
		Medium	------------	------------	16.75-18.50	------------
		Cull-Com	------------	------------	14.50-16.75	------------
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	15.50-16.60	17.15-17.85	16.50-17.75	16.75-17.75
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	15.50-16.50	17.10-17.85	16.50-17.75	16.50-17.75
	(92# dn)	Medium	14.00-15.50	16.25-17.15	15.00-16.50	15.75-16.75
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	------------	16.00-17.35	15.25-17.50	15.75-17.60
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	10.25-14.00	12.50-16.25	10.50-15.00	12.00-15.75
Yearling Wethers	(110# dn)	Med-Ch	10.00-14.00	11.75-15.75	11.00-15.25	11.00-14.75
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.00	9.50-12.00	8.50-11.00	8.50-11.00
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	7.75- 9.75	9.25-11.75	8.25-10.75	8.25-10.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	3.50- 8.25	4.50- 8.50	4.00- 8.50	4.00- 8.50

FEEDING SHEEP AND LAMBS:-

			NAT'L.STK.YDS.	CHICAGO	KANSAS CITY	OMAHA
Feeding Lambs	(Range Stk.)	Gd-Ch	------------	15.00-16.75	------------	14.50-16.25
		Medium	------------	13.25-15.00	------------	13.00-14.50

*NATIONSL STOCK YARDS SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS; CHICAGO, KANSAS CITY, OMAHA ON WOOLED BASIS.

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-THURSDAY-APRIL 18, 1929.

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
National Stock Yards	**1,500	**1,000	12,500	1,200
Chicago	8,500	4,000	24,000	14,000
Kansas City	2,000	500	7,500	10,000
Omaha	4,800	200	15,000	14,000
St. Joseph	1,900	300	6,000	8,000
St. Paul	2,700	1,800	7,000	400
Sioux City	3,000	200	11,500	2,500
Cincinnati	400	550	2,700	125
Indianapolis	600	600	6,000	200
Pittsburg	- - -	150	1,800	1,200
Buffalo	35	100	735	175
Total 11 markets	25,435	9,400	94,735	51,800
One week ago	14,710	7,575	56,760	41,175
One year ago	18,610	11,350	79,040	29,150
To date this week	150,710	49,000	402,905	211,200
Same period last week	133,260	40,750	347,540	195,700
Same period last year	145,185	49,025	376,210	158,075

**Run includes 500 cattle and calves on through billing. Today's estimated hog receipts include estimated unloads of through and direct billed hogs as follows: National Stock Yards 1,500 through and 500 direct; Chicago 1,500; Kansas City 670; Omaha 2,000; St. Joseph 350; Sioux City 1,300; St. Paul 400.

NAT'L. STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-WEDNESDAY-APRIL 17, 1929

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Actual receipts	2,784	2,187	14,483	2,022
Total shipments	930	1,116	6,741	1,629
Packer purchases	1,894	864	4,045	350

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-THURSDAY-APRIL 18, 1929
(Based on Market Conditions and Sales Reported up to 1:00 P.M.)

CATTLE: Receipts of cattle were estimated at 1,500 head, as compared with actual arrivals of 1,429 last Thursday, and a total of 2,347 the corresponding day last year.

The salable supply of cattle was reduced somewhat from the light estimated figures because of the inclusion of several loads which were in on through billing. When everything had been unloaded there was a rather scant showing of steers, these consisting of a few loads of lightweight common and medium grades, which sold about on a steady basis with yesterday. A rather active market was in progress on mixed yearlings and heifers with the result that prices at the close ruled unevenly steady to 25¢ higher, and certainly at a new high point for the year. Cows and all cutters met with a good demand and values here continued steady also at the highest point for some time. Best medium bulls were conspicuous by their absence, but a few scattered sales showed that these remained practically unchanged. The vealer market was another uneven affair with the final result steady to 25¢ higher.

The few loads of common and medium steers ranged in price from $11.65 to $12.75, only a few odd head and small lots capable of selling upward to $14.00. A short load of choice 829# mixed yearlings reached a new top for the year at $14.80, while one load was capable of extracting the $14.00 money. Most of the mixed material and heifers cleared within a range of $12.00 to $13.75. Individual cows reached $11.50 quite readily on best kinds, but the bulk were of a kind to command the $8.75 to $10.25 terms, with low cutters mostly $6.25 to $7.00, and cutters upward to $8.00. Medium bulls at $9.50 were scarce, others downward according to condition. Good and choice vealers bulked at a spread of $16.00 and $16.25.

HOGS: Liberal shipping inquiry on opening rounds sent hog prices 10-15¢ above the best time of Wednesday or 10-20¢ above the average. Butchers also bought a few on this basis but packers held back. Receipts both here and in the aggregate showed a decided increase over the runs of a week ago and after shipping and butcher orders were filled trade was at a standstill with a liberal number, mostly medium weights, unsold. Bulk of these sold later on a basis weak to 10¢ below early, occasional sales off more. Most of the better light hogs sold early so there were not enough on sale late to justify a change in quotations on 210# down. Pigs and light lights found an active call from shippers and advanced fully 25¢. Local receipts were estimated at 12,500, including 2,000 through and direct, compared with actual supplies of 8,192 last Thursday and 12,733 a year ago.

Top price rose to $11.65, this figure paid freely on early rounds with bulk of 160-250# weights at $11.55 to $11.65. At the finish a liberal number of 200-260# butchers moved at $11.45 to $11.55, an occasional load carrying more weight at $11.40. Closing trade was slow but at the extreme finish only a few lots were left in first hands. Bulk of 130-150# light lights moved at $10.25 to $11.25 with 130# and down realizing $8.50 to $10.25, according to weight and quality. Bulk of packing sows centered around $10.15 with a spread of $10.10 to $10.25 taking practically all offerings.

SHEEP: Receipts of sheep and lambs were estimated at 1,200 head, majority of which were on through billing, leaving only about three decks of clipped lambs and a few odd lots of other classes on sale. The run last Thursday totaled only 17 head and a year ago 1,897 were marketed. The market today averaged about steady on all classes. Packers paid $16.25 for about a deck and a half of good to choice 86# shorn lambs and a deck of 69# weights moved at $16.00. No wooled lambs were offered. Cull clipped lambs are salable mostly around $11.00 to $13.00. A few odd lots of desirable wooled ewes sold at $10.00 to $11.00 with sales of shorn ewes ranging from $10.00 down. Practically no spring lambs were offered.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: Killing classes slow, steady; stockers and feeders scarce; fed steers and yearlings $12.75 to $14.00; several loads light steers $14.10 to $14.25; two loads $14.50; choice weighty steers unsold; heifers mostly $12.00 to $13.50; one load 711# $14.10; bulk beef cows $9.00 to $10.50; bulk all cutters $6.50 to $8.00; few low cutters $6.25; medium bulls $8.75 to $9.25; veal top $15.50.

HOGS: Shipping demand broad at prices fully steady with Wednesday's close or 10¢ lower than early; big packers inactive; top $11.10 over 220-235# butchers; bulk 190-300# weights $10.90 to $11.00; bulk 140-190# selections $10.25 to $11.00; packing sows and stags $9.75 to $10.25; feeder pigs scarce.

SHEEP: Lambs steady to 25¢ lower; sheep steady; shearing lambs strong to 25¢ higher; early bulk fed wooled lambs to packers $17.50; shippers top $17.85; clipped lambs $16.00 to $16.25; native spring lambs $18.00 to $18.50; wooled ewes $11.25 down; shearing lambs $17.00 to $17.25.

4-18-29 ACA
1:45 P. M.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, THURSDAY, APRIL 18, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- ACTIVE MARKET ON LIGHT YEARLINGS AND LOWER GRADE LIGHT STEERS, STEADY TO STRONG; STRICTLY GOOD AND CHOICE MEDIUM WEIGHT AND WEIGHTY STEERS STRONG, SOME SLOWNESS ON INBETWEEN GRADE OFFERINGS SCALING 1200-LBS. UPWARD; SHE STOCK STEADY TO STRONG; BULLS 10 TO 15¢ HIGHER AND VEALERS MOSTLY 50¢ HIGHER; SHE STOCK IN MORE LIBERAL SUPPLY, BUT ALL INTERESTS BUYING ON EARLY ROUNDS; STRICTLY CHOICE 1385-LB. STEERS $14.95; LIGHT OFFERINGS ON LONG YEARLING ORDER AT THAT MONEY; NUMEROUS SALES LIGHT YEARLINGS, MOSTLY MIXED STEERS AND HEIFERS, $14.00 TO $14.75, WITH $14.85 AGAIN PAID FOR LIGHT HEIFER YEARLINGS; MOST FAT STEERS $13.50 TO $14.25, PLAINER KINDS DOWN TO $12.50 AND BELOW, DEMAND LOOKING BROAD ON KINDS SELLING AT $13.00 AND BELOW; $10.00 RATHER FREELY PAID FOR HEAVY SAUSAGE BULLS; PROSPECTS $13.00 TO $14.50 ON 100 TO 120-LB. VEALERS; SELECTED SHIPPERS $16.50 AND ABOVE; STOCKER AND FEEDER TRADE FIRM, UP TO $13.40 PAID FOR MEATY FEEDERS.

HOGS:- OPENED SLOW, MOSTLY STEADY; LATER TRADE 10 TO 15¢ LOWER; BIG PACKERS INACTIVE; TOP $11.65 PAID FOR A FEW LOADS OF 180 TO 230-LB. WEIGHTS; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 160 TO 300-LB. WEIGHTS $11.35 TO $11.60; HEAVY BUTCHERS MOSTLY $11.35 TO $11.45; BULK OF DESIRABLE 130 TO 150-LB. WEIGHTS $10.75 TO $11.50; PIGS MOSTLY $9.25 TO $10.50, CHOICE STRONG WEIGHTS UP TO $11.00; BULK PACKING SOWS $10.40 TO $10.60; FEW SMOOTH LIGHT WEIGHTS ON BUTCHER ORDER UP TO $10.75.

SHEEP:- LITTLE EARLY TRADING ON FAT LAMBS, STRONG TO 10¢ HIGHER, MOSTLY TO YARD TRADERS; SEVERAL LOADS 90 TO 94-LB. WOOLSKINS $18.00 TO $18.10; BEST CLIPPERS AVERAGING 85-LB. $17.00; LATER TRADE SLOW; PACKERS BIDDING LOWER; HOLDING FOR GENERALLY STEADY PRICES; SHEEP VERY SCARCE, AROUND STEADY; FEW ODD LOTS FAT WOOLED EWES $11.00 TO $11.75; CLIPPED HANDYWEIGHTS AT $10.50; NO FEEDING LAMBS OFFERED.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- MOST KILLING CLASSES CATTLE FAIRLY ACTIVE, FULLY STEADY; BULK RUN FED STEERS OF LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT; VEALERS $1.00 UNDER WEDNESDAY'S BEST TIME; MEDIUM WEIGHT AND HEAVY CALVES STEADY; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS SCARCE, FIRM; SHORT LOAD CHOICE 1016-LB. STEERS $14.25; CHOICE 1126-LB. STEERS $14.15; CHOICE HEAVIES $13.75; BULK DESIRABLE FED STEERS $12.75 UP; FEW LOADS PLAIN DOGIES $10.75 TO $11.50; BULK FAT LIGHT YEARLINGS $12.25 TO $13.50; BUTCHER COWS $8.75 TO $10.25; ALL CUTTERS $6.00 TO $7.75; GOOD TO CHOICE VEALERS $12.00 TO $15.00.

HOGS:- MODERATELY ACTIVE TO SHIPPERS; STEADY TO WEAK WITH WEDNESDAY'S AVERAGE; TOP $11.20 FOR CHOICE 190 TO 230-LB. WEIGHTS; BIG PACKERS INACTIVE; BULK DESIRABLE 170 TO 240-LBS. $11.00 TO $11.20; 140 TO 160-LBS. $10.25 TO $11.10; FEW 250 TO 300-LBS. $10.85 TO $11.10; PACKING SOWS STRONG, ACTIVE; BULK $9.75 TO $10.25; STOCK PIGS STEADY, $9.25 TO $10.40.

SHEEP:- VERY SLOW, UNEVEN; FIVE CARS ARIZONA SPRINGERS $19.85, STEADY; BIDDING LOWER ON WOOLSKINS AND CLIPPERS, NONE SOLD; SHEEP SCARCE, STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; TWO YEAR OLD SHORN TEXAS GRASS WETHERS $12.50; SHORN TEXAS AGED WETHERS $10.25.

			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)						
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$11.25-11.50	$11.15-11.50	$10.60-11.10	$10.50-11.00
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	11.30-11.50	11.15-11.65	10.75-11.20	10.60-11.10
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	11.00-11.65	11.00-11.65	10.60-11.20	10.40-11.05
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.00-11.30	10.15-11.30	10.25-11.10	10.00-10.90
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.75-10.25	10.15-10.75	9.25-10.25	9.60-10.25
SLAUGHTER PIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	8.50-10.50	9.00-11.00	8.75-10.40	----------
FDR & STKR. PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	8.25-10.50	----------	8.75-10.40	9.00-10.00
AV. COST & WT. WED. (PIGS EXC)			11.27-212#	11.43-245#	10.98-237#	10.35-257#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	----------	13.50-14.75	----------	----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.85-14.50	14.40-14.90	13.40-14.10	13.50-14.50
		GOOD	13.00-13.85	13.50-14.40	12.75-13.40	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.85-14.75	14.40-15.00	13.40-14.65	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.40	12.75-13.75	13.00-13.75
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.40-15.00	13.75-14.35	14.00-15.00
		GOOD	13.25-14.25	13.75-14.40	13.00-13.90	13.25-14.00
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	12.00-13.25	12.50-13.75	11.75-13.00	12.25-13.25
		COMMON	9.50-12.00	10.50-12.50	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.25
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	14.25-15.00	14.50-15.00	13.90-14.65	14.00-15.00
		GOOD	13.25-14.25	13.75-14.50	13.00-13.90	13.25-14.00
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	14.00-14.85	14.00-14.85	12.50-13.75	13.25-14.25
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.00-14.25	11.75-13.00	12.25-13.25
		COM-MED	8.75-13.00	9.75-13.25	8.50-12.00	9.00-12.25
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	11.50-14.00	12.25-14.50	11.50-13.25	11.50-13.75
		GOOD	10.50-13.50	11.25-14.00	10.25-12.50	10.50-13.00
		MEDIUM	9.25-12.50	10.00-13.00	8.75-11.75	9.00-12.00
COWS:		CHOICE	10.50-11.50	11.00-12.00	10.50-11.50	10.50-11.50
		GOOD	9.50-10.50	9.75-11.00	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.50
		COM-MED	8.00- 9.50	8.50- 9.75	7.75- 9.50	8.00- 9.50
		LOW CUT-CUT	5.75- 8.00	6.50- 8.50	5.75- 7.75	6.25- 8.00
BULLS: (YLG. EXC. BEEF.)		GD-CH	9.50-10.50	10.00-11.00	9.00-10.00	9.25-10.50
		CUT-MED	7.50- 9.50	8.25-10.00	7.00- 9.00	7.75- 9.25
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	10.00-13.00	10.50-13.50	8.50-12.50	9.50-12.50
		CULL-COM	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.50	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.50
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	14.75-16.25	13.50-16.50	11.50-15.00	12.50-15.50
		MEDIUM	12.25-14.75	11.50-13.50	9.50-11.50	11.00-12.50
		CULL-COM	6.00-12.25	8.00-11.50	6.00- 9.50	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	12.25-13.40	12.00-13.00	11.75-13.25
		COM-MED	9.00-11.50	10.00-12.25	9.25-12.00	9.50-11.75
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	12.00-13.40	12.00-14.25	12.00-14.00
		COM-MED	8.50-11.50	10.00-12.00	9.25-12.00	9.25-12.00
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	11.00-12.00	10.00-11.75	10.25-11.75	9.50-11.25
		COM-MED	8.50-11.00	9.00-10.00	8.00-10.25	8.00- 9.50
COWS:		GD-CH	8.50- 9.25	8.50- 9.00	8.00- 9.00	7.75- 8.75
		COM-MED	7.50- 8.50	8.00- 8.50	7.00- 8.00	6.50- 7.75
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	----------	----------	12.00-14.25	11.50-14.25
		MEDIUM	----------	----------	10.00-12.00	9.00-11.50
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:- *						
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	----------	----------	18.50-19.85	----------
		MEDIUM	----------	----------	16.75-18.50	----------
		CULL-COM	----------	----------	14.50-16.75	----------
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	15.50-16.50	17.25-18.10	16.50-17.75	17.00-17.85
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	15.50-16.50	17.15-18.10	16.50-17.75	16.75-17.85
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	14.00-15.50	16.40-17.25	15.00-16.50	16.00-17.00
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	----------	16.25-18.00	15.25-17.50	15.75-17.75
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	10.25-14.00	12.50-16.40	10.50-15.00	12.25-16.00
YEARLING WETHERS	(110# DN)	MED-CH	10.00-14.00	11.75-15.75	11.00-15.25	11.85-15.00
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	8.25-10.00	9.75-12.25	8.50-11.00	9.00-11.50
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	7.75- 9.75	9.50-12.00	8.25-10.75	8.75-11.25
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	3.50- 8.25	4.75- 9.75	4.00- 8.50	4.25- 9.00
FEEDING SHEEP AND LAMBS:-						
FEEDING LAMBS	(RANGE STK.)	GD-CH	----------	15.00-16.75	----------	14.50-16.25
		MEDIUM	----------	13.25-15.00	----------	13.00-14.50

*NATIONAL STOCK YARDS SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS; CHICAGO, KANSAS CITY, OMAHA ON WOOLED BASIS.

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-FRIDAY-APRIL 19, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**700	**800	12,500	1,000
CHICAGO	2,000	1,000	15,000	18,000
KANSAS CITY	250	50	6,000	4,000
OMAHA	1,400	100	10,500	9,500
ST. JOSEPH	250	50	3,500	4,000
ST. PAUL	2,000	1,700	6,500	800
SIOUX CITY	1,000	100	7,500	3,000
CINCINNATI	375	450	3,300	250
INDIANAPOLIS	400	600	5,000	500
PITTSBURG	25	100	2,000	500
BUFFALO	200	325	1,760	2,100
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	8,600	5,275	73,560	43,650
ONE WEEK AGO	7,775	4,600	62,680	29,225
ONE YEAR AGO	8,660	5,300	71,180	22,100
TO DATE THIS WEEK	159,310	54,275	476,465	254,850
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	141,035	45,350	410,220	224,925
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	153,845	54,325	447,390	180,175

**RUN INCLUDES 400 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 2,000 THROUGH; CHICAGO 2,000; KANSAS CITY 450; OMAHA 1,400; ST. JOSEPH 300; SIOUX CITY 300; ST. PAUL NONE.

NAT'L. STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-THURSDAY-APRIL 18, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	1,547	2,061	15,343	472
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	427	1,151	10,790	- -
PACKER PURCHASES	1,422	1,868	4,498	557

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-FRIDAY-APRIL 19, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P.M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 700 TODAY, AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 431 LAST FRIDAY, AND A TOTAL OF 537 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

: THE RUN HERE TODAY WAS VERY LIGHT AND AS MOST OF THE SUPPLY WAS LATE IN ARRIVING, EARLY TRADING WAS CONFINED LARGELY TO A FEW INDIVIDUALSAND SMALL LOTS. THE SALABLE SUPPLY WAS SWELLED LATER BY THE ARRIVAL OF A FEW LOADS OF STEERS AND YEARLINGS, MANY OF WHICH WERE "YELLOWHAMMERS". PACKER BUYERS DISPLAYED LITTLE OR NO INTEREST IN ADDING TO THEIR WEEK'S PURCHASES EXCEPT ON THE BASIS THAT THEY COULD CHEAPEN COSTS. THE RESULT WAS THAT THEY WOULD OFFER LOWER BIDS, AND AS SALESMEN REFUSED TO ACCEPT THEM ON SUCH A SMALL SUPPLY, MOST OF THE LOAD LOTS REMAINED UNSOLD AT A LATE TRADING HOUR. ODDS AND ENDS OF OTHER CLASSES CLEARED AT ABOUT STEADY PRICES, WHILE THE VEALER MARKET WAS QUOTABLE STEADY TO 25¢ HIGHER.

SOME YELLOWHAMMER STEERS TURNED AT $11.25 TO $12.00, THE LATTER FIGURE PAID FOR A LOAD OF 669# AVERAGES. A FEW MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS CLEARED AT $11.75 TO $13.25 IN SMALL LOTS, WITH COWS LARGELY $8.75 TO $10.25. SOME LOW CUTTERS WERE NOTED AT $6.25 TO $7.00, AND CUTTERS UPWARD TO $8.00, MEDIUM BULLS WERE SCARCE SELLING AT $9.50 AND DOWN, WHILE GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WENT TO PACKERS AND SHIPPERS AT $15.25 FOR THE TOP AND BULK.

: THERE WAS A GOOD DEMAND FOR STOCKER AND FEEDER STEERS AND HEIFERS DURING THE WEEK, BUT NOT SO MUCH INQUIRY FOR COWS. PRICES ON STEERS RULED STEADY TO STRONG WITH THE FEMALE CLASSES STEADY. STEERS AVERAGING 800# AND UP WERE SCARCE AND SOLD ON COUNTRY ACCOUNT AT A RANGE OF $9.10 TO $12.85, THE MAJORITY $9.10 TO $11.00. LIGHTWEIGHT STEERS RANGED FROM $8.90 TO $13.00, WITH THE BULK $10.00 TO $11.25. MOST OF THE COWS CLEARED AT $8.25 TO $8.75, AND HEIFERS LARGELY $9.50 TO $10.50.

HOGS: TRADE WAS SLOW IN THE HOG DIVISION TODAY WITH PRICES GENERALLY SEEKING LOWER LEVELS. SUPPLIES WERE INCREASED AS COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO BUT SHIPPING DEMAND WAS FAIRLY BROAD. MOST SALES WERE MADE ON ACCOUNT OF SHIPPERS AND BUTCHERS AT A DECLINE OF 10-15¢ FROM THE BEST TIME OF THURSDAY WITH THE TREND WEAKENING SOMEWHAT LATER UNTIL AT THE CLOSE A DISCOUNT OF MOSTLY 15-20¢ HAD BEEN EFFECTED. THE DECLINE COMPARED WITH YESTERDAY'S AVERAGE WAS ABOUT 10¢. PACKERS DID LITTLE ALL DAY BUT CLEARANCE TO OTHER INTERESTS WAS NEARLY COMPLETE, ONLY A FEW SCATTERING LOADS REMAINING IN FIRST HANDS LATE. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS MET A BROAD SHIPPER OUTLET AND SOLD FULLY STEADY. LOCAL RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 12,500, INCLUDING 2,000 THROUGH, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL SUPPLIES OF 10,068 LAST FRIDAY AND 9,900 A YEAR AGO.

MAJORITY OF 160-260# WEIGHTS SOLD EARLY AT $11.40 TO $11.50 WITH THE LATTER PRICE PRACTICAL TOP ALL DAY. WHILE NO LOAD LOTS SOLD ABOVE THIS FIGURE, A MODERATE NUMBER OF PART LOADS REACHED $11.55. BULK LATE RANGED FROM $11.40 TO $11.45, OCCASIONAL LOADS OF 260-280# AT $11.35. A FEW LOTS OF HEAVY HOGS SOLD DOWN TO $11.25 AND TWO LOADS OF MEDIUM GRADE BUTCHERS SCALING OVER 300# WENT AS LOW AS $11.15. BULK OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS CLEARED AT $10.25 TO $11.25, ACCORDING TO WEIGHT, WITH MOST DESIRABLE PIGS SCALING 130# AND DOWN SCORING $9.50 TO $10.25, COMMON SOUTHERN DESCRIPTIONS LOWER. BULK OF PACKING SOWS CLEARED WITHIN THE NARROW SPREAD OF $10.00 TO $10.10

SHEEP: SHEEP RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 1,000 HEAD BUT PRACTICALLY ALL OF THESE WERE BILLED THROUGH AND DID NOT ENTER INTO THE MARKET. ONLY A FEW ODD LOTS WERE ON SALE AND THESE WERE IN NO WAY REPRESENTATIVE SO THAT THE MARKET WAS CALLED NOMINAL AND NO CHANGE WAS MADE IN QUOTATIONS. THE RUN LAST FRIDAY WAS 1,099 HEAD AND A YEAR AGO 2,254 WERE RECORDED. MOST OF THE BETTER CLIPPED LAMBS HAVE SOLD LATE TO PACKERS AT $16.00 TO $16.25, ONLY ONE LOT THIS WEEK SELLING ABOVE THIS FIGURE, CITY BUTCHERS PAYING $16.50 FOR ABOUT 25 HEAD. CULLS ARE SALABLE AROUND $11.00 TO $13.00. BETTER WOOLED EWES HAVE SOLD THIS WEEK AT $10.00 TO $11.00, CLIPPED EWES AT $10.00 DOWN.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS SLOW, STEADY TO WEAK; OTHER CLASSES STEADY; FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.50 TO $13.75; CHOICE MIXED YEARLINGS $14.00; FEW LOTS HEIFERS $12.00 TO $13.00; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00 TO $10.25; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.50 TO $8.00; FEW MEDIUM BULLS $9.00; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $15.50.
HOGS: SHIPPING DEMAND FAIRLY BROAD AT PRICES ABOUT STEADY WITH THURSDAY'S AVERAGE; PACKER DEMAND INDIFFERENT; TOP $11.10 ON 220# BUTCHERS; EARLY SALES 190-300# WEIGHTS $10.85 TO $11.00; BULK 140-190# SELECTIONS $10.25 TO $11.00; PACKING SOWS $9.75 TO $10.00; STAGS UP TO $10.25; FEEDER PIGS $9.25 TO $10.00.
SHEEP: NO EARLY BUSINESS; PACKERS TALKING $17.00 TO $17.25 ON BULK OF FED WOOLED OFFERINGS OR 25-50¢ LOWER.

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1:40 P. M.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- UNEVEN, BUT GENERALLY STEADY MARKET ON ALL CLASSES; SPOTS 25¢ LOWER ON INBETWEEN GRADE WEIGHTY STEERS; LOWER GRADE LIGHT KINDS AND PRACTICALLY ALL GRADE YEARLINGS IN DEMAND; A LITTLE EASINESS NOW AND THEN ON INBETWEEN GRADE LIGHT HEIFER AND MIXED YEARLINGS OF VALUE TO SELL AROUND $13.50; PART LOAD LIGHT YEARLINGS $14.75, SEVERAL LOADS $14.35 TO $14.65; BEST MEDIUM WEIGHT STEERS $14.50; PLAIN BUT FAT STEERS WITH WEIGHT DOWN TO $13.00; SEVERAL LOADS LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT COMMON AND MEDIUM OFFERINGS GOING AT $12.75 TO $13.25; MEATY 1150-LB. FEEDERS ON COUNTRY ACCOUNT $13.65; STOCKER SUPPLY VERY SMALL AND MARKET FIRM; MOST FAT COWS $9.00 TO $10.25; DAIRY BREDS PREDOMINATING; CUTTERS $6.75 TO $8.25; BULLS STRONGER, SHIPPERS PAYING UP TO $10.25 FOR WEIGHTY SAUSAGE OFFERINGS, LITTLE BELOW $9.50; VEALERS ACTIVE AND UNEVENLY HIGHER, MOSTLY LIGHT KINDS $14.00 TO $15.00, SHIPPER'S UP TO $17.00.
HOGS:- MOSTLY STEADY TO STRONG WITH THURSDAY'S AVERAGE ON HOGS SCALING OVER 160-LBS.; LIGHTER WEIGHTS ACTIVE AT 25 TO 40¢ HIGHER PRICES; TOP $11.70 PAID FOR A LOAD OF AROUND 210-LB. WEIGHTS; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 160 TO 250-LB. AVERAGES $11.40 TO $11.60; 240 TO 320-LB. WEIGHTS $11.25 TO $11.40, STRICTLY CHOICE LOADS AT INSIDE WEIGHT UP TO $11.50; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 130 TO 150-LB. AVERAGES $11.00 TO $11.50; PIGS MOSTLY $9.75 TO $10.75, CHOICE STRONG WEIGHTS UP TO $11.25 AND ABOVE; PACKING SOWS 10 TO 15¢ LOWER, MOSTLY $10.25 TO $10.50, FEW SMOOTH SORTS UP TO $10.60.
SHEEP:- VERY LITTLE EARLY TRADING; MOST BIDS AROUND 50¢ LOWER; ODD SALES GOOD CLIPPED LAMBS $16.00; NOTHING DOING ON WOOLSKINS; SHEEP 25¢ LOWER; FEW CHOICE LIGHT WEIGHT WOOLED EWES $12.00; ODD LOTS FEEDING AND SHEARING LAMBS $16.00.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- LARGELY A CLEAN-UP TRADE ON KILLING CLASSES CATTLE AT FULLY STEADY PRICES; VEALERS STEADY TO EASIER; FAIRLY BROAD WEEK END CLEARANCE ON STOCKERS AND FEEDERS; SHORT LOAD GOOD YEARLINGS $13.50; VEALERS MOSTLY $14.00 DOWN, FEW $15.00.
HOGS:- FAIRLY ACTIVE, MOSTLY TO SHIPPERS; UNEVEN, STEADY TO WEAK WITH THURSDAY'S AVERAGE ON 200 TO 250-LBS; LIGHT LIGHTS AND WEIGHTY BUTCHERS 10 TO 20¢ LOWER; SHIPPER TOP $11.10 ON 190 TO 250-LBS.; BULK 170 TO 250-LBS. $10.85 TO $11.10; 250 TO 300-LBS.; $10.50 TO $10.90; 140 TO 160-LBS. $10.00 TO $10.90; PACKING SOWS 10 TO 25¢ LOWER, $9.50 TO $10.00; STOCK PIGS $8.75 TO $10.40.
SHEEP:- SLOW AND UNEVEN; LAMBS 25 TO 50¢ LOWER; NO SPRINGERS OFFERED; WOOLSKINS $17.00 TO $17.35; CLIPPERS $15.00 TO $15.50; SHEEP SCARCE, STEADY TO WEAK; ODD LOTS SHORN EWES $9.25 TO $10.25.

HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)		NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HVY. WTS. (250-350#)	MED-CH	$11.10-11.40	$11.15-11.50	$10.50-10.90	$10.40-11.00
MED. WTS. (200-250#)	MED-CH	11.15-11.50	11.15-11.70	10.85-11.10	10.50-11.10
LT. WTS. (160-200#)	MED-CH	11.00-11.50	11.10-11.60	10.50-11.10	10.35-11.10
LT. LTS. (130-160#)	MED-CH	10.00-11.40	10.40-11.30	10.00-10.90	10.00-10.85
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH		9.65-10.15	10.10-10.60	9.00-10.00	9.50-10.15
SLAUGHTER PIGS (90-130#)	MED-CH	8.50-10.50	9.25-11.35	8.75-10.40	-----------
FDR & STKR. PIGS (70-130#)	MED-CH	8.25-10.50	-----------	8.75-10.40	9.00-10.00
AV. COST & WT. THURS. (PIGS EXC.)		11.15-204#	11.75-239#	10.94-234#	10.84-258#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-					
STEERS: (1500# UP)	GD-CH	-----------	13.50-14.75	-----------	-----------
STEERS: (1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.85-14.50	14.40-14.90	13.40-14.10	13.50-14.50
	GOOD	13.00-13.85	13.50-14.40	12.75-13.40	12.75-13.50
STEERS: (1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.85-14.75	14.40-15.00	13.40-14.65	13.75-14.75
	GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.40	12.75-13.75	13.00-13.75
STEERS: (950-1100#)	CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.40-15.00	13.75-14.65	14.00-14.75
	GOOD	13.25-14.25	13.75-14.40	13.00-13.90	13.25-14.00
STEERS: (800# UP)	MEDIUM	12.00-13.25	12.50-13.75	11.75-13.00	12.25-13.25
	COMMON	9.50-12.00	10.50-12.50	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.25
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)	CHOICE	14.25-15.00	14.50-15.00	13.90-14.35	14.00-14.75
	GOOD	13.25-14.25	13.75-14.50	13.00-13.90	13.25-14.00
HEIFERS: (850# DN)	CHOICE	14.00-14.65	14.00-14.85	12.50-13.75	13.25-14.25
	GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.00-14.25	11.75-13.00	12.25-13.25
	COM-MED	8.75-13.00	9.75-13.25	8.50-12.00	9.00-12.25
HEIFERS: (850# UP)	CHOICE	11.50-14.00	12.25-14.50	11.50-13.25	11.50-13.75
	GOOD	10.50-13.50	11.25-14.00	10.25-12.50	10.50-13.00
	MEDIUM	9.25-12.50	10.00-13.00	8.75-11.75	9.00-12.00
COWS:	CHOICE	10.50-11.50	11.00-12.00	10.50-11.50	10.50-11.50
	GOOD	9.50-10.50	10.00-11.00	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.50
	COM-MED	8.00- 9.50	8.50-10.00	7.75- 9.50	8.00- 9.50
	LOW CUT-CUT	5.75- 8.00	6.75- 8.50	5.75- 7.75	6.25- 8.00
BULLS: (YLG. EXC. BEEF.)	GD-CH	9.50-10.50	10.25-11.25	9.00-10.00	9.25-10.50
	CUT-MED	7.50- 9.50	8.50-10.25	7.00- 9.00	7.75- 9.25
CALVES: (500# DN)	MED-CH	10.00-13.00	10.50-13.50	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.50
	CULL-COM	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.50	6.50- 9.50	6.50- 9.50
VEALERS: (MILK-FED)	GD-CH	14.75-16.25	13.50-17.00	11.50-15.00	12.50-15.50
	MEDIUM	12.25-14.75	11.50-13.50	9.50-11.50	11.00-12.50
	CULL-COM	6.00-12.25	8.00-11.50	6.00- 9.50	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-					
STEERS: (800# UP)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	12.25-13.40	12.00-13.00	11.75-13.25
	COM-MED	9.00-11.50	10.00-12.25	9.25-12.00	9.50-11.75
STEERS: (800# DN)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	12.00-13.40	12.00-14.25	12.00-14.00
	COM-MED	8.50-11.50	10.00-12.00	9.25-12.00	9.25-12.00
HEIFERS:	GD-CH	11.00-12.00	10.00-11.75	10.25-11.75	9.50-11.25
	COM-MED	8.50-11.00	9.00-10.00	8.00-10.25	8.00- 9.50
COWS:	GD-CH	8.50- 9.25	8.50- 9.00	8.00- 9.00	7.75- 8.75
	COM-MED	7.50- 8.50	8.00- 8.50	7.00- 8.00	6.50- 7.75
CALVES: (STEERS)	GD-CH	-----------	-----------	12.00-14.25	11.50-14.25
	MEDIUM	-----------	-----------	10.00-12.00	9.00-11.50
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-*					
SPRING LAMBS:	GD-CH	-----------	-----------	18.25-19.50	-----------
	MEDIUM	-----------	-----------	16.50-18.25	-----------
	CULL-COM	-----------	-----------	14.25-16.50	-----------
LAMBS: (84# DN)	GD-CH	15.50-16.50	17.00-17.85	16.25-17.35	16.75-17.50
(84-92#)	GD-CH	15.50-16.50	16.90-17.85	16.25-17.35	16.50-17.50
(92# DN)	MEDIUM	14.00-15.50	16.15-17.00	14.75-16.25	15.75-16.75
(92-100#)	MED-CH	-----------	16.00-17.75	15.25-17.15	15.50-17.40
(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	10.25-14.00	12.25-16.15	10.50-14.75	12.00-15.75
YEARLING WETHERS (110# DN)	MED-CH	10.00-14.00	11.50-15.50	11.00-15.25	11.25-15.00
EWES: (120# DN)	MED-CH	8.25-10.00	9.50-12.00	8.50-11.00	9.00-11.50
(120-150#)	MED-CH	7.75- 9.75	8.25-11.75	8.25-10.75	8.75-11.25
(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	3.50- 8.25	4.50- 9.50	4.00- 8.50	4.25- 9.00
FEEDING SHEEP AND LAMBS:-					
FEEDING LAMBS (RANGE STK.)	GD-CH	-----------	15.00-16.75	-----------	14.50-16.25
	MEDIUM	-----------	13.25-15.00	-----------	13.00-14.50

*NATIONAL STOCK YARDS SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS; CHICAGO, KANSAS CITY, OMAHA ON WOOLED BASIS.

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SUMMARY OF LIVESTOCK MARKET - SATURDAY - APRIL 20, 1929

RECEIPTS

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS (ESTIMATE)	**250	**50	3,500	- - -
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS TOTAL THIS WK. (APPRO.)	11,650	9,250	77,150	7,300
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS TOTAL LAST WEEK	9,026	5,873	61,305	5,044
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS TOTAL SAME WK. LAST YR.	10,995	7,693	64,675	9,369
11 MARKET TOTAL THIS WEEK	161,035	55,200	504,465	268,825
11 MARKET TOTAL LAST WEEK	143,160	46,400	450,700	236,425
11 MARKET TOTAL SAME WEEK LAST YEAR	155,805	55,175	473,150	194,750

**RUN INCLUDES 200 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 1,500 THROUGH; CHICAGO 4,500; KANSAS CITY 950; OMAHA 1,500; ST. JOSEPH NONE; SIOUX CITY 700; ST. PAUL NONE.

NAT'L. STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-FRIDAY-APRIL 19, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	993	712	13,226	1,242
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	368	220	12,247	774
PACKER PURCHASES	772	491	3,137	235

LIVESTOCK MARKET QUOTATIONS AND CONDITIONS-SATURDAY-APRIL 20, 1929

HOGS: (SOFT OR OILY HOGS & ROASTING PIGS EXC)	NAT'L. STK. YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A.M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
HVY. WT. (250-350#) MED-CH	$11.20-11.50	$11.15-11.50	$10.55-11.00	$10.50-11.25
MED. WT. (200-250#) MED-CH	11.25-11.60	11.15-11.55	10.70-11.15	10.65-11.25
LT. WT. (160-200#) MED-CH	11.00-11.65	11.10-11.60	10.60-11.15	10.50-11.20
LT. LTS. (130-160#) MED-CH	10.00-11.60	10.40-11.60	10.00-10.90	10.00-11.00
PACKING SOWS SMOOTH & ROUGH	9.75-10.25	10.10-10.60	9.00-10.00	9.65-10.25
SLTR. PIGS (90-130#) MED-CH	8.50-10.50	9.00-11.35	8.75-10.40	----------
FD & STK PIGS 70-130#) MED-CH	8.25-10.50	----------	8.75-10.40	9.00-10.00
AV. COST & WT. FRI. (PIGS EXC)	11.25-209#	11.35-242#	10.81-229#	10.34-257#

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-SATURDAY-APRIL 20, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P. M.)

CATTLE: FOR THE PAST WEEK CATTLE RECEIPTS APPROXIMATED 11,650 HEAD, AS COMPARED WITH A TOTAL COUNT OF 9,026 THE PREVIOUS WEEK, AND TOTAL UNLOADINGS OF 10,995 THE CORRESPONDING WEEK A YEAR AGO.

THE PAST WEEK'S TRADE IN THE CATTLE DIVISION FROM THE STANDPOINT OF THE PRODUCER HAS BEEN QUITE FAVORABLE THROUGHOUT. MANY NEW TOPS WERE ESTABLISHED SOME OF WHICH REVERTED BACK TO JANUARY AND IN THE CASE OF HEIFERS AS FAR BACK AS TO OCTOBER OF LAST YEAR FOR THEIR EQUAL. THESE NEW TOPS WERE DUE IN PART TO SOME ADVANCES IN PRICE AND ALSO TO AN IMPROVEMENT IN CONDITION. BOTH QUALITY AND CONDITION OF THE STEER, MIXED YEARLING AND HEIFER OFFERING SHOWED IMPROVEMENT, THERE BEING INCLUDED AMONG THE SUPPLY NUMEROUS LOADS OF GOOD MATERIAL, SOME OF WHICH BORDERED ON AND EXTENDED UP INTO THE CHOICE CLASSIFICATION. SOME WEAK SPOTS DEVELOPED IN THE STEER TRADE AT TIMES, BUT THIS WAS LARGELY CONFINED TO A MINORITY OF PLAIN SOMEWHAT ROUGH KINDS. ALL WEIGHT GROUPS WERE REPRESENTED, BUT LIGHTWEIGHT AND YEARLING STEERS PREDOMINATED. AN ACTIVE TRADE ON THE LIGHT SUPPLY OF COWS WAS THE RESULT OF LIVELY COMPETITION FROM ALL INTERESTS, WHILE THE BULL MARKET EXPERIENCED SOME UNEVENNESS BUT SHOWED VERY LITTLE CHANGE ON THE AVERAGE. VEALER PRICES TOOK SEVERAL SUBSTANTIAL JUMPS AND ARE CLOSING CONSIDERABLY HIGHER THAN THE PREVIOUS WEEK'S CLOSE.

COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO, BETTER GRADE LIGHTWEIGHT AND YEARLING STEERS ARE SELLING STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER, OTHER STEERS ABOUT STEADY; MIXED YEARLINGS, HEIFERS AND BUTCHER COWS 25-50¢ HIGHER WITH BEST KINDS UP MOST; LOW CUTTERS AND CUTTERS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; MEDIUM BULLS STEADY; VEALERS 75¢ TO $1.25 HIGHER; STOCKER AND FEEDER STEERS STEADY TO STRONG; STOCK COWS AND HEIFERS STEADY. TOPS FOR WEEK: 829# MIXED YEARLINGS $14.80; 611# HEIFERS $14.75; 944# YEARLING STEERS $14.35; 1265# STEERS $14.10. BULKS FOR WEEK: STEERS $11.65 TO $13.75; FAT MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS $13.00 TO $13.75; MEDIUM KINDS $11.75 TO $12.50; COWS $8.75 TO $10.25; LOW CUTTERS $6.25 TO $7.00; MEDIUM BULLS $9.00 TO $9.50; GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS AT CLOSE $16.25.

HOGS: SUPPLIES WERE LIGHT IN THE HOG HOUSE TODAY, THE ESTIMATE CALLING FOR ONLY 3,500 HEAD, INCLUDING 1,500 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT, AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL MARKETINGS OF 5,880 LAST SATURDAY AND 3,084 A YEAR AGO. MOST OF THE SUPPLIES WERE ON LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT ORDER AND WITH AN ACTIVE DEMAND FROM ALL INTERESTS, THE MARKET DISPLAYED CONSIDERABLE ACTIVITY AT AN ADVANCE OF 10-15¢ FROM FRIDAY'S AVERAGE. A FEW LOADS OF MEDIUM TO GOOD HEAVY BUTCHERS FOUND SLOWER ACTION BUT REALIZED A 10¢ UPTURN. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS WERE TOO SCANTY IN NUMBERS TO TEST CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS REMAINED UNCHANGED. PACKING SOWS RULED STEADY TO 10¢ HIGHER. TRADE DURING THE WEEK AVERAGED ABOUT THE SAME AS THE PREVIOUS WEEK WITH PRICES RECORDING NO VIOLENT FLUCTUATIONS. COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO A NET ADVANCE OF ABOUT 10¢ WAS REGISTERED. RECEIPTS FOR THE WEEK WERE AROUND 77,150, COMPARED WITH 61,305 LAST WEEK AND 64,675 SAME WEEK A YEAR AGO.

TOP PRICE TOUCHED $11.65, WITH $11.60 TAKING MOST OF THE BETTER 160-215# WEIGHTS THOUGH AN OCCASIONAL LOAD CARRYING A LITTLE LESS FINISH MADE $11.55. A LOAD OF DESIRABLE GRADE 235# BUTCHERS TURNED AT $11.50 AND TWO LOADS OF MEDIUM TO GOOD 260# DESCRIPTIONS MADE THE $11.40 MONEY. BETTER GRADES OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS ARE CONSIDERED SALABLE AT $10.25 TO $11.25, AN OCCASIONAL LOT MAKING THIS FIGURE TODAY. PIGS SCALING 130# AND DOWN ARE QUOTABLE AT $8.50 TO $10.25, COMMON SOUTHERN PIGS LOWER. MAJORITY OF PACKING SOWS CENTERED AT $10.10, WITH PRACTICALLY ALL SELLING WITHIN A SPREAD OF $10.00 TO $10.15, FEW UP TO $10.25.

SHEEP: RECEIPTS OF SHEEP THIS WEEK APPROXIMATED 7,300 HEAD, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 5,044 LAST WEEK AND 9,369 A YEAR AGO. WHILE A LARGE PROPORTION OF THIS WEEK'S RUN WAS ON THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLING, SALABLE SUPPLIES SCORED QUITE A SUBSTANTIAL INCREASE.

DEMAND WAS QUITE ACTIVE ALL WEEK FOR ALL CLASSES AND LAMBS ADVANCED AROUND 25¢ WITH FAT EWES SCORING A 50¢ UPTURN. VERY FEW WOOLED LAMBS WERE OFFERED, ONE SMALL LOT OF GOOD GRADE MATERIAL GOING TO A BUTCHER AT $17.00. SHORN LAMBS SOLD MOSTLY FROM $15.65 TO $16.25 WITH LATE BULK TO ALL INTERESTS AT $16.00 TO $16.25. A CITY BUTCHER PAID $16.50 FOR ABOUT 25 HEAD OF CHOICE OFFERINGS. CULLS WERE REMOVED AT $11.00 TO $13.00. WOOLED EWES SOLD AT $10.00 TO $11.00, WITH A FULL DECK OF CHOICE 120# AVERAGES EARNING THE LATTER FIGURE. MOST OF THE SHORN EWES CLEARED AT $10.00 AND DOWNWARD. NOT ENOUGH SPRING LAMBS WERE ON SALE TO REALLY TEST CONDITIONS, ODD LOTS SELLING TO PACKERS AT $19.00 TO $19.25, A FEW TO CITY BUTCHERS AS HIGH AS $20.00.

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TELEGRAPHIC REPORTS FROM OTHER MARKETS
SATURDAY, APRIL 20, 1929.

OMAHA MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- COMPARED WITH WEEK AGO: FED STEERS, YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS STRONG TO MOSTLY 25¢ HIGHER; BEEF COWS 25 TO 50¢ HIGHER; BULLS 25¢ HIGHER; VEALERS 50¢ HIGHER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; BULKS FOR WEEK: FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.75 TO $14.25; WEIGHTY STEERS $14.25; YEARLINGS $14.75; HEIFERS $12.00 TO $13.50, FEW LOADS $13.75 TO $14.10; BEEF COWS $8.75 TO $10.50; ALL CUTTERS $6.25 TO $8.00; MEDIUM BULLS $8.75 TO $9.25; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $15.50; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $12.00 TO $13.75; LIGHT YEARLINGS UP TO $14.25.

HOGS:- 10 TO 15¢ HIGHER; TOP $11.25 ON 250-LB. BUTCHERS; BULK 180 TO 320-LB. AVERAGES $10.90 TO $11.15, MOSTLY $11.00 TO PACKERS; LIGHT LIGHTS DOWNWARD TO $10.25; PACKING SOWS $9.85 TO $10.15; STAGS UP TO $10.25.

SHEEP:- COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO: FAT LAMBS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; SHEEP 50¢ HIGHER; FEEDERS STRONG; CLOSING BULKS: FED WOOLED LAMBS $17.00 TO $17.35; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $16.00; NATIVE SPRINGERS $18.25 TO $19.25; FED WOOLED EWES $10.00 TO $11.00; SHORN EWES $9.50 TO $10.00; SHEARING LAMBS UP TO $16.75.

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A.M.

CATTLE:- COMPARED WEEK AGO: FED STEERS 25 TO 50¢ HIGHER; LOWER GRADE LIGHT KINDS SHOWING MOST ADVANCE; ROUGH INBETWEEN GRADE OFFERINGS SCALING 1200-LBS. UPWARD LITTLE BETTER THAN STEADY; LIGHT YEARLINGS 50 TO 75¢ HIGHER; FAT COWS AND BUTCHER HEIFERS 50¢ TO $1.00 UP ON RUNAWAY MARKET WHICH UNCOVERED WAR-TIME PRICES; CUTTERS 50¢ HIGHER; BULLS 50 TO 75¢ HIGHER AND VEALERS $2.00 HIGHER; REPLACEMENT CATTLE WORKED 25 TO 50¢ UP; EXTREME TOP FED WEIGHTY STEERS $14.95; YEARLINGS $14.85; LIGHT HEIFER YEARLINGS ALSO REACHING THAT PRICE; NUMEROUS LOADS ROUGH WEIGHTY STEERS $13.25 TO $13.75; FINISHED 1700-LB. AVERAGES UP TO $14.65, NOT MUCH TO KILLERS UNDER $13.00; MOST THIN STOCKERS GOING AT $12.00 TO $13.00, WITH HEAVY FEEDERS UP TO $13.65.

HOGS:- HARDLY ENOUGH HOGS ON SALE TO ESTABLISH A MARKET; MOSTLY STEADY TO 10¢ HIGHER THAN FRIDAY'S AVERAGE; PRACTICAL TOP $11.65 PAID FOR AROUND 200-LB. WEIGHTS; 33 HEAD AT $11.70; A FEW LOADS AND ODD LOTS OF GOOD TO CHOICE 150 TO 220-LB. WEIGHTS AT $11.50 TO $11.60; SEVERAL LOADS OF CHOICE 240 TO 300-LB. WEIGHTS AT $11.35 TO $11.50; AROUND 340-LB. AVERAGES AT $11.30; ODD LOTS OF MEDIUM TO GOOD 90 TO 120-LB. PIGS AT $10.00 TO $11.00; AN OCCASIONAL SALE OF PACKING SOWS AT $10.25; SHIPPERS TOOK 500; ESTIMATED HOLDOVER 2,000.

SHEEP:- FOR WEEK: 110 DOUBLES FROM FEEDING STATIONS, 37,000 DIRECTS; INCLUDING 9,000 CALIFORNIAS; ALL INTERESTS INCLUDING YARD TRADERS ACTIVE EARLY IN WEEK; PRICES ON FAT LAMBS UP 25 TO 50¢ BY THURSDAY; SHEEP 25¢ HIGHER; LATE TRADING VERY DRAGGY; ALL ADVANCES LOST AND MORE IN INSTANCES; TOPS FOR WEEK: FAT WOOLED LAMBS $18.10; CLIPPERS $17.00; FAT WOOLED EWES $12.25; CLIPPED EWES $10.50; BULKS: FAT WOOLED LAMBS $17.35 TO $17.75; CLIPPERS $16.25 TO $16.75; FAT WOOLED EWES $10.25 TO $11.75; LESS THAN ONE DOUBLE OF FEEDING AND SHEARING LAMBS ASSEMBLED FROM THROWOUTS, BULK $16.00 TO $16.50.

ST. PAUL MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- COMPARED WEEK AGO: ALL KILLING CLASSES AND STOCKERS AND FEEDERS FULLY 25¢, SPOTS 50¢ HIGHER; THE LATTER UPTURN APPLYING LARGELY TO SHE STOCK; VEALERS $1.00 OR MORE HIGHER; WEEK'S PRICES: TOP MEDIUM WEIGHTS $14.35; NEW SEASONS HIGH; YEARLINGS $14.25; HEAVY STEERS $14.00; YEARLING HEIFERS $13.65; BULK ALL STEERS FOR WEEK $12.25 TO $13.75; FAT COWS $8.25 TO $9.75; HEIFERS $9.75 TO $11.50; CUTTERS $6.25 TO $7.50; BULLS $8.50 TO $9.00; TOP HALF-FAT FINISHING STEERS IN LOAD LOTS $12.60; BULK STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $10.00 TO $11.50; VEALERS AT CLOSE LARGELY $14.50 TO $15.50.

HOGS:- ABOUT STEADY WITH FRIDAY'S GENERAL TRADE; FEW MEDIUM AND HEAVY WEIGHT BUTCHERS $10.90 TO $11.00; SORTED LIGHTS UP TO $11.10; TOP $11.10; LIGHT LIGHTS AND PIGS ABSENT, SALABLE AROUND $11.00; FEW SOWS AT $9.75.

SHEEP:- COMPARED WITH WEEK AGO: FAT WOOLED LAMBS 25¢ HIGHER; WOOLED EWES MOSTLY 50¢ HIGHER; CLIPPED LAMBS 25¢ OR MORE HIGHER; BULK FAT WOOLED LAMBS $16.75 TO $17.25; WOOLED EWES $10.00 TO $11.00; BULK CLIPPED LAMBS $15.90 TO $16.25; BEST CLIPPED EWES $9.75.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- COMPARED WITH WEEK AGO: LIGHTER WEIGHTS OF FED STEERS, YEARLINGS AND FED HEIFERS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; FED STEERS 1200-LBS. UP MOSTLY STEADY; SOME WEAK SPOTS ON THE INBETWEEN GRADES; SLAUGHTER COWS 25 TO 40¢ HIGHER; BULLS FIRM; VEALERS $1.00 LOWER; MEDIUM WEIGHT AND HEAVY CALVES STEADY; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; WEEK'S TOPS: YEARLING STEERS $14.60; MEDIUM WEIGHT STEERS $14.50; HEAVY STEERS $14.10; LIGHT YEARLING STOCKERS $14.25; CLOSING VEAL TOP $15.00; BULK PRICES: FED STEERS $12.75 TO $14.15; LIGHT YEARLINGS $12.25 TO $13.50; FEW LOADS $13.75 TO $14.00; BUTCHER COWS $8.75 TO $10.25; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $11.75 TO $13.50.

HOGS:- STEADY TO 10¢ HIGHER THAN FRIDAY'S AVERAGE; TOP $11.15 TO SHIPPERS ON 200 TO 225-LBS.; DESIRABLE 190 TO 250-LB. MOSTLY $11.00-11.15; FEW HEAVY WEIGHTS DOWN TO $10.90; PACKING SOWS AND PIGS NOMINALLY STEADY.

SHEEP:- COMPARED WEEK AGO: FAT LAMBS 15 TO 20¢ HIGHER; WEEK'S TOPS: ARIZONA SPRINGERS $19.85; WOOLED LAMBS $17.75; CLIPPERS $16.10. BULKS: SPRINGERS $19.00 TO $19.80; WOOLSKINS $17.00 TO $17.65; SHORN LAMBS $15.35 TO $16.00; SHORN YEARLINGS $14.50 TO $15.00; SHEEP MOSTLY 25¢ HIGHER; SHORN WETHERS $10.00 TO $11.00; SHORN EWES $9.50 TO $10.25; FEW WOOLED EWES $10.75 DOWN; SHEARING LAMBS $15.75 TO $16.25.

FORT WORTH MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- TODAY'S TRADE NOMINAL. FOR WEEK AGO CLASSES CATTLE AND CALVES STEADY; SOME STRENGTH OR SMALL ADVANCES IN SLAUGHTER STEERS. WEEK'S TOPS: SLAUGHTER STEERS $13.25; SMALL LOT FAT YEARLINGS $14.50; CARLOT TOP $14.25; CAR LOT TOP FAT COWS $9.00; SMALL LOTS UPTO $9.50 AND ABOVE; CAR LOT TOP GOOD MEDIUM WEIGHTS SLAUGHTER CALVES $12.25; FEW STRICTLY CHOICE MEDIUM WEIGHTS UPTO $13.00; FEEDER STEERS $12.50; CHOICE LIGHT WEIGHT STOCK YEARLINGS $13.75; BULKS: FED SLAUGHTER STEERS $12.00 TO $12.60; DESIRABLE GRASSERS $11.25 TO $11.50; WELL FINISHED YEARLINGS $13.25 TO $13.75; BUTCHER COWS $7.25 TO $7.75; HEAVY SLAUGHTER CALVES $11.00 TO $11.75; STOCKER AND FEEDER STEERS $11.00 TO $12.50; GOOD STOCK YEARLINGS $12.25 TO $13.25; FEW LOADS GOOD STOCK COWS $8.25.

HOGS: MOSTLY STEADY, QUALITY CONSIDERED; RAIL TOP $10.75 PAID FOR 2 LOADS FAIRLY GOOD MEDIUM WEIGHT BUTCHERS; ONE LOAD LOWER GRADE MIXED WEIGHTS $10.35; TRUCK TOP $10.15; BULK BETTER GRADES 175-250# TRUCK HOGS $9.75 TO $10.00; PACKING SOWS STEADY, MOSTLY $8.00 TO $8.50.

SHEEP: TODAY'S TRADE NOMINAL. FOR THE WEEK: TWO YEAR OLD SHORN FAT WETHERS STEADY TO 25¢ HIGHER; OTHER CLASSES STEADY TO WEAK; SPRING LAMBS $15.50 TO $17.25; GOOD TO CHOICE SHORN FAT LAMBS $14.00 TO $14.50; BULK TWO YEAR OLD SHORN FAT WETHERS $11.00 TO $11.50; MEDIUM TO CHOICE AGED SHORN FAT WETHERS $10.00 TO $10.75; FEW SHORN FAT YEARLINGS $12.50 & $12.75; SHORN FEEDER LAMBS $10.00 TO $12.50; FLESHY FEEDER LAMBS UP TO $13.50; SHORN FEEDER WETHERS $6.00 TO $7.00.

"HOGS SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL MEAT INSPECTION"
WEEKS ENDING FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 1929, AND APRIL 20, 1928.

	1929	1928
CHICAGO	109,659	69,946
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS (INC. ST. LOUIS)	53,621	46,556
NEW YORK (INC. JERSEY CITY)	33,578	38,582
OMAHA	55,490	32,560
KANSAS CITY	64,051	42,855
SO. ST. PAUL	39,884	41,363
SIOUX CITY	*41,032	*20,900

*NOTE: 1928 FIGURES AT SIOUX CITY FOR CALENDAR WEEK.

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DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-MONDAY-APRIL 22, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**1,800	**1,400	10,000	1,200
CHICAGO	17,000	4,000	35,000	19,000
KANSAS CITY	7,500	1,000	5,500	12,000
OMAHA	7,500	500	10,000	7,500
ST. JOSEPH	1,800	300	2,000	8,500
ST. PAUL	4,200	2,800	8,000	1,500
SIOUX CITY	4,500	300	8,500	3,000
CINCINNATI	925	475	4,300	75
INDIANAPOLIS	900	400	5,000	400
PITTSBURG	550	900	3,500	5,000
BUFFALO	1,375	1,300	8,150	5,800
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	48,050	13,375	99,950	63,975
ONE WEEK AGO	55,100	14,450	131,720	62,925
ONE YEAR AGO	55,475	10,400	125,100	39,550

**RUN INCLUDES 250 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 600 THROUGH AND 500 DIRECT; CHICAGO 10,000; KANSAS CITY 850; OMAHA 2,500; ST. JOSEPH 350; SIOUX CITY 400; ST. PAUL 500.

NAT'L. STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-SATURDAY-APRIL 20, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	308	125	4,393	- - -
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	348	--	6,778	- - -
PACKER PURCHASES	19	46	1,493	- - -

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-MONDAY-APRIL 22, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P.M.)

CATTLE: CATTLE ESTIMATES WERE PLACED AT 1,800 THIS MORNING, AS AGAINST ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 2,069 LAST MONDAY, AND A TOTAL OF 2,255 BY ACTUAL COUNT THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

LOCALLY THE SUPPLY OF CATTLE FOR THE OPENING DAY'S TRADE WAS OF LIGHT PROPORTIONS AND IN THE AGGREGATE AT THE ELEVEN MARKETS A DECREASE OF AROUND 7,000 WAS LOOKED FOR COMPARED WITH A WEEK AND A YEAR AGO. A LIBERAL PERCENTAGE OF THE RUN TODAY WAS MADE UP OF STEERS, THE GREAT MAJORITY BEING ON THE LIGHT AND HANDYWEIGHT ORDER, WITH QUALITY AND CONDITION IN GENERAL GRADING MEDIUM TO GOOD. THERE WAS SOME DISCUSSION AMONG MEMBERS OF THE TRADE AS TO WHAT THE EFFECTS OF THE ONCOMING JEWISH HOLIDAYS, WITH SUSPENDED KILLING OPERATIONS ON WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY OF THIS WEEK, WOULD HAVE ON THE MARKET. THERE WAS SUFFICIENT DEMAND, HOWEVER, TO CLEAN UP THE ENTIRE OFFERING IN ALL BRANCHES WITHOUT ANY BREAKS EXCEPT IN THE VEALER MARKET WHERE PRICES TOOK A SHARP TUMBLE, THE DECLINE REGISTERING $1.00 FLAT. THE STEER MARKET RULED STEADY TO STRONG, WITH SPOTS SHOWING A FEW MINOR UPTURNS, AND THIS TREND ALSO APPLIED TO BUTCHER COWS, BOTH CLASSES CLOSING ACTIVELY. MEDIUM BULLS WERE SCARCE AND SOLD ON A STRONGER BASIS, WHILE OTHER CLASSES REMAINED FOR THE MOST PART UNCHANGED.

A SHORT LOAD OF 1139# STEERS WERE SUFFICIENTLY WELL CONDITIONED TO COMMAND THE $14.10 TERMS, WHILE A LOAD OF 1027# WEIGHTS STOPPED AT $13.85. FOR THE BULK OF THE STEERS A RANGE OF $12.25 TO $13.75 WAS SUFFICIENT, WITH A FEW LOADS OF COMMON "YELLOWHAMMERS" SELLING DOWN AROUND $11.50. WHILE ODD HEAD AND SMALL LOTS OF MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS SOLD ABOVE $14.00, THE TOP ON LOAD LOTS WAS $13.75, WITH NO CHOICE KINDS OFFERED. MOST OF THESE CLEARED FROM $12.00 TO $13.35, SOME PLAINER KINDS BELOW THE INSIDE FIGURE. THE MAJORITY OF THE BUTCHER COWS TURNED AT $8.75 TO $10.25, WITH LOW CUTTERS LARGELY $6.50 TO $7.25. BEST MEDIUM BULLS WERE QUOTABLE AT $9.75, WITH REPRESENTATIVE SALES NOTICED AT $9.65 DOWN. GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WENT CHIEFLY ON PACKER ACCOUNT AT $15.25 FOR THE TOP AND BULK.

HOGS: DRESSED PORK PRICES IN THE EAST CONTINUED TO RISE AND SHIPPERS DOMINATED TRADE IN THE LOCAL HOG DIVISION TODAY. RECEIPTS WERE CONSIDERABLY LIGHTER THAN A WEEK AGO AND SUPPLIES WERE HARDLY SUFFICIENT TO GO AROUND. IN FACT AFTER SHIPPERS HAD FILLED ORDERS AND A MODERATENUMBER HAD TURNED TO BUTCHERS, THERE WERE VERY FEW LEFT FOR PACKERS ALTHOUGH ALL INTERESTS WERE BUYING ACTIVELY AT THE CLOSE WITH CLOSING TRENDS REFLECTING THE FULL ADVANCE OF THE DAY. IN GENERAL PRICES WOUND UP FULLY 25¢ HIGHER THAN LAST SATURDAY ALTHOUGH CONSIDERING QUALITY SOME SALES REFLECTED A GREATER STRENGTH. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS SHARED THE ADVANCE WHILE PACKING SOWS WERE IN LIMITED DEMAND AND SCORED LESS UPTURN. RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 10,000 INCLUDING 1,100 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 14,379 LAST MONDAY AND 12,220 A YEAR AGO. TOTAL MARKETINGS AT ELEVEN POINTS EXCEEDED LAST MONDAY'S SUPPLIES BY OVER 30 PER CENT.

EARLY SALES OF 160-250# WEIGHTS WERE MADE AT $11.75 TO $11.85, A MODERATELY LIBERAL NUMBER OF CHOICE LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT HOGS SCORING A TOP PRICE OF $11.90. AT THE CLOSE MOST OF THESE WEIGHTS WERE SELLING TO ALL INTERESTS AT $11.80 TO $11.90, ONLY WEIGHTIER DESCRIPTIONS AT LOWER FIGURES. A FEW LOTS SCALING UP CLOSE TO 300# REALIZED $11.70 WITH NO LOADS OF EXTREME HEAVIES HERE. MAJORITY OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS CASHED AT $10.50 TO $11.50, ACCORDING TO WEIGHT, AND PIGS SCALING 130# AND DOWN MOVED LARGELY AT $8.75 TO $10.50, ONLY LOWER GRADES AND SOUTHERN DESCRIPTIONS UNDER THE LOWER FIGURE. BULK OF PACKING SOWS CENTERED AT $10.25 THOUGH OCCASIONAL SALES OF THIN DESCRIPTIONS MADE $10.15 AND A FEW GOOD SMOOTH KINDS TOUCHED $10.30 AND $10.35.

SHEEP: SHEEP AND LAMB RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 1,200 HEAD, ABOUT HALF OF WHICH WERE BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT. THE RUN LAST MONDAY WAS BY ACTUAL COUNT 483 HEAD AND A YEAR AGO 578 ARRIVED. TRADE WAS SLOW IN GETTING UNDER WAY, CITY BUTCHERS DISPLAYING BUT LITTLE DEMAND AND PACKERS BIDDING LOWER. IN THE END PACKERS SUCCEEDED IN CHEAPENING COSTS ON LAMBS FULLY 25¢ WITH CASES OF MORE LOSS AS COMPARED WITH THE BEST TIME LAST WEEK. SHEEP AND YEARLINGS HELD STEADY. ALL THE DAY'S SUPPLIES WERE SHORN EXCEPT A FEW LOTS OF SPRING LAMBS THAT WENT TO CITY BUTCHERS BUT WERE IN TOO LIGHT A SUPPLY TO FORM A BASIS FOR QUOTING TRENDS. PACKERS PAID $15.75 FOR THREE DECKS OF NEAR CHOICE 85# LAMBS AND $15.50 FOR A DECK OF 71# AVERAGES GRADING NO BETTER THAN GOOD. CULLS WERE REMOVED AROUND $11.00 TO $13.00. A PART DECK OF 92# TWO YEAR OLD WETHERS EARNED $12.00 WITH ABOUT AN EQUAL NUMBER OF 93# AGED WETHERS AT $11.00. TWENTY HEAD OF 79# YEARLINGS REALIZED $13.50. SHORN EWES ARE SELLING GENERALLY AT $10.00 AND DOWNWARD. THE FEW LOTS OF SPRING LAMBS WENT TO CITY BUTCHERS AT $19.50 TO $21.00.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS SLOW, STEADY TO WEAK; OTHER KILLING CLASSES ACTIVE, STRONG; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $13.00 TO $14.00; MEDIUM WEIGHTS $14.25; LIGHT STEERS $14.50: SOME HELD HIGHER; HEIFERS MOSTLY $12.00 TO $14.00; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00 TO $10.50; CHOICE LOTS $10.75 TO $11.50; BULK ALL CUTTERS $5.50 TO $6.00; MEDIUM BULLS $9.00 TO $9.25; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $15.50; STOCKER AND FEEDER STEERS $12.25 TO $14.00.

HOGS: SLOW; STRONG TO 10¢ HIGHER; TOP $11.25 ON BUTCHERS 230# DOWN; BULK 180-340# WEIGHTS $11.10 TO $11.25; 150-180# SELECTIONS $10.50 TO $11.15; PACKING SOWS AND STAGS $10.00 TO $10.25; FEEDER PIGS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; UPWARD TO $10.[illegible]

SHEEP: BIDDING 50¢ LOWER ON WOOLED LAMBS AND MATURED SHEEP; FEW EARLY SALES AND BIDS ON FED WOOLED LAMBS $16.25 TO $16.75; WOOLED EWES $10.50 DOWN; SHORN EWES $8.00 DOWN; SHEARING LAMBS STEADY, EARLY SALES $16.60 TO $16.75.

4-22-29 ACA 1:38 P. M. - SEE OTHER SIDE -

DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, MONDAY, APRIL 22, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A.M.

CATTLE:- BIDDING 25 TO 40¢ LOWER ON MEDIUM WEIGHT AND WEIGHTY STEERS, ESPECIALLY KINDS OF VALUE TO SELL LAST WEEK AT $14.00 UPWARD; SHIPPER DEMAND NARROW, BUT SELLERS RESISTING DECLINE; LOWER GRADE LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT STEERS ACTIVE ON EARLY ROUNDS, FULLY STEADY; FAIRLY GOOD ACTION ON LIGHT YEARLINGS, AT LEAST ON SMALL KILLER ACCOUNT; SHE STOCK OPENED STEADY, NOW WEAK TO SHADE LOWER ON BIG PACKER ACCOUNT; BULLS FULLY STEADY; LIGHT VEALERS 50¢ OR MORE LOWER, STRICTLY GOOD AND CHOICE KINDS TO SMALL KILLERS AND SHIPPERS ABOUT STEADY; EARLY TOP YEARLING STEERS AND MIXED YEARLINGS $14.50; SEVERAL LOADS MOST REPRESENTATIVE WEIGHTS HELD AROUND $15.00, NO HEAVIES SOLD; MOST LOW PRICED LIGHT STEERS ON KILLER ACCOUNT $12.75 TO $13.50; MOST WEIGHTY SAUSAGE BULLS $10.00 TO $10.25, EXTREME TOP $10.35; FEW LOTS LIGHT VEALERS $12.50 TO $14.00, SCALING 95 TO 110-LBS.; SHIPPERS UP TO $17.00; STOCKERS VERY SCARCE AND FIRM TO HIGHER, MOSTLY $12.00 TO $12.75 ON EARLY ROUNDS.

HOGS:- MOSTLY 20 TO 25¢ HIGHER THAN FRIDAY'S AVERAGE; LIGHT LIGHTS AND PIGS 25 TO 40¢ HIGHER; TOP $11.85 PAID FREELY FOR 150 TO 225-LB. WEIGHTS; BULK GOOD AND CHOICE 160 TO 240-LB. WEIGHTS $11.65 TO $11.85; 250 TO 300-LB. AVERAGES $11.50 TO $11.65; SEVERAL LOADS OF HEAVIER BUTCHERS UNSOLD; LIGHT LIGHTS AND PIGS IN BROAD DEMAND; BULK OF BETTER GRADE 130 TO 150-LB. WEIGHTS $11.25 TO $11.75; PIGS MOSTLY $10.50 TO $11.25; BULK PACKING SOWS $10.40 TO $10.85, SMOOTH LIGHT WEIGHTS UP TO $10.85 AND ABOVE.

SHEEP:- PRACTICALLY NO TRADING; HOLDING FAT LAMBS AROUND STEADY; PACKERS TALKING UNEVENLY LOWER; BEST CLIPPERS HELD AT $16.35; SOME BIDS SLIGHTLY ABOVE $16.00; ODD LOADS GOOD WOOLSKINS HELD AT $17.25; FEW SALES FAT EWES $10.00 DOWN.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- FED STEERS SLOW; PACKERS TALKING LOWER; SUPPLY LIGHT TO MODERATE; LIGHT MIXED LIGHT YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS FAIRLY ACTIVE, STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; SLAUGHTER COWS SCARCE, STRONG; BULLS SCARCE, 15 TO 25¢ HIGHER; VEALERS AND CALVES STEADY; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; BULK FED STEERS ELIGIBLE TO SELL AROUND $12.75 TO $14.00; FAT LIGHT YEARLINGS $12.50 TO $14.00, SOME HELD HIGHER; BULK BUTCHER COWS $9.00 TO $10.50, ODD HEAD UPWARD TO $11.00 AND ABOVE; ALL CUTTERS $6.00 TO $8.00; MEDIUM BULLS $9.00 TO $9.25; GOOD TO CHOICE VEALERS $12.00 TO $15.00; BULK STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $11.75 TO $13.75; FEW LOADS CHOICE 450-LB. STOCKERS $14.00 TO $14.50.

HOGS:- FAIRLY ACTIVE, 10 TO 25¢ HIGHER THAN SATURDAY'S AVERAGE; TOP $11.40 FOR CHOICE 190 TO 225-LB. WEIGHTS; BULK DESIRABLE 170 TO 250-LBS. $11.20 TO $11.35; 260 TO 320-LBS. AT $11.00 TO $11.25; 140 TO 160-LBS. $10.65 TO $11.25; PACKING SOWS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER AT $9.75 TO $10.35; STOCK PIGS STEADY TO STRONG AT $9.25 TO $10.50.

SHEEP:- VERY SLOW; FEW EARLY SALES CLIPPED LAMBS WEAK TO 10¢ LOWER; LATER BIDS UNEVENLY LOWER; NO WOOLED LAMBS OR SPRINGERS SOLD; SHEEP STEADY TO WEAK; 84-LB. SHORN LAMBS $15.50; TWO LOADS SHORN YEARLINGS AND TWO YEAR OLD WETHERS $12.75 TO $12.85.

			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A.M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)						
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$11.45-11.80	$11.30-11.55	$10.80-11.25	$10.95-11.25
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	11.50-11.90	11.40-11.85	11.10-11.40	10.75-11.25
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	11.25-11.90	11.35-11.85	11.00-11.40	10.50-11.25
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.25-11.85	10.75-11.85	10.30-11.25	10.00-11.10
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.85-10.35	10.25-10.90	9.25-10.35	9.75-10.35
SLAUGHTER PIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	8.75-10.75	9.50-11.60	9.00-10.50	----------
FDR & STKR. PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	8.50-10.75	----------	9.00-10.50	9.00-10.00
AV. COST & WT. SAT. (PIGS EXC)			11.42-215#	11.30-286#	10.95-205#	10.84-254#
AV. COST & WT. WEEK. (PIGS EXC)			11.19-208#	11.37-242#	10.91-234#	10.90-253#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	----------	13.50-14.50	----------	----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.85-14.50	14.25-14.75	13.40-14.10	13.50-14.50
		GOOD	13.00-13.95	13.50-14.25	12.75-13.40	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.65-14.75	14.25-14.65	13.40-14.25	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.15-14.00	13.50-14.25	12.75-13.75	13.00-13.75
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.25-15.00	13.75-14.65	14.00-14.75
		GOOD	13.40-14.25	13.75-14.25	13.00-13.90	13.25-14.00
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	12.25-13.40	12.50-13.75	11.75-13.00	12.25-13.25
		COMMON	9.75-12.25	10.50-12.50	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.25
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	14.25-15.00	14.50-15.00	13.90-14.65	14.00-14.75
		GOOD	13.40-14.25	13.75-14.50	13.00-13.90	13.25-14.00
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	14.00-14.85	14.00-14.85	12.75-14.00	13.25-14.25
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.00-14.25	12.00-13.25	12.25-13.25
		COM-MED	8.75-13.00	9.50-13.00	8.75-12.25	9.00-12.25
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	11.75-14.00	12.25-14.50	11.75-13.50	11.50-13.75
		GOOD	10.75-13.50	11.25-14.00	10.50-12.75	10.75-13.00
		MEDIUM	9.25-12.75	10.00-13.00	9.00-12.00	9.25-12.25
COWS:		CHOICE	10.75-11.75	11.00-12.00	10.50-11.50	10.75-11.75
		GOOD	9.75-10.75	10.00-11.00	9.75-10.50	9.50-10.75
		COM-MED	8.00- 9.75	8.50-10.00	8.00- 9.75	8.00- 9.50
		LOW CUT-CUT	6.00- 8.00	6.75- 8.50	5.75- 8.00	6.25- 8.00
BULLS: (YLG. EXC. BEEF.)		GD-CH	9.75-10.75	10.25-11.50	9.25-10.25	9.25-10.50
		CUT-MED	7.50- 9.75	8.50-10.35	7.50- 9.25	7.75- 9.25
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	10.00-13.00	10.50-13.50	9.50-12.50	10.00-12.50
		CULL-COM	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.50	6.50- 9.50	6.50-10.00
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	13.75-15.25	13.00-17.00	11.50-15.00	13.00-15.50
		MEDIUM	11.25-13.75	11.00-13.00	9.30-11.50	11.50-13.00
		CULL-COM	6.00-11.25	8.00-11.00	6.00- 9.50	6.00-11.50
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	12.50-13.50	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.50
		COM-MED	9.00-11.50	10.25-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.75-12.00
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	12.50-13.50	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.25
		COM-MED	8.50-11.50	10.00-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	11.00-12.00	10.25-11.75	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		COM-MED	8.50-11.00	9.25-10.25	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
COWS:		GD-CH	8.50- 9.25	8.50- 9.00	8.25- 9.25	8.00- 9.00
		COM-MED	7.50- 8.50	8.00- 8.50	7.25- 8.25	6.75- 8.00
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	----------	----------	12.25-14.50	11.75-14.25
		MEDIUM	----------	----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	----------	----------	17.50-18.75	----------
		MEDIUM	----------	----------	16.00-17.50	----------
		CULL-COM	----------	----------	13.50-16.00	----------
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	15.25-16.00	15.50-16.35	14.75-15.50	15.00-15.75
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	15.25-16.00	15.35-16.25	14.50-15.25	14.75-15.75
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	14.00-15.25	14.75-15.50	14.00-15.75	14.25-15.00
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	----------	14.40-16.15	13.75-15.10	14.50-15.50
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	10.25-14.00	11.25-14.75	10.00-14.00	11.00-14.25
YEARLING WETHERS	(110# DN)	MED-CH	10.00-14.00	10.50-14.50	10.00-14.25	10.00-13.75
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	8.25-10.00	8.25-10.50	8.00-10.00	9.00- 9.50
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	7.75- 9.75	8.00-10.25	7.50- 9.50	7.75- 9.25
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	3.50- 8.25	3.00- 8.25	2.50- 8.00	2.50- 8.00
FEEDING SHEEP AND LAMBS:-						
FEEDING LAMBS (RANGE STK.)		GD-CH	----------	----------	----------	----------
		MEDIUM	----------	----------	----------	----------

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS.

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-TUESDAY-APRIL 23, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**2,500	**1,500	14,000	500
CHICAGO	7,500	4,000	23,000	5,000
KANSAS CITY	8,000	1,200	10,000	13,000
OMAHA	7,000	500	18,000	7,000
ST. JOSEPH	2,400	500	5,500	9,000
ST. PAUL	2,300	2,200	5,500	100
SIOUX CITY	3,000	200	12,000	1,500
CINCINNATI	225	525	4,400	175
INDIANAPOLIS	1,200	1,000	9,000	200
PITTSBURG	25	175	1,000	1,000
BUFFALO	50	300	1,125	600
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	34,200	12,100	103,525	38,075
ONE WEEK AGO	35,875	12,150	86,550	46,225
ONE YEAR AGO	36,835	12,650	84,300	44,225
TO DATE THIS WEEK	82,250	25,475	203,475	102,050
SAME PERIOD WEEK AGO	90,775	26,600	219,270	109,150
SAME PERIOD YEAR AGO	92,310	23,050	209,400	83,775

**RUN INCLUDES 450 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 1,000 THROUGH; CHICAGO 2,000; KANSAS CITY 700; OMAHA 3,000; ST. JOSEPH 150; SIOUX CITY 500; ST. PAUL NONE.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-MONDAY-APR. 22, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	1,783	1,774	10,778	1,228
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	180	- - -	5,501	- - -
PACKER PURCHASES	1,139	1,875	3,477	844

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-TUESDAY-APRIL 23, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P. M.)

CATTLE: MORNING ESTIMATES CALLED FOR 2,500 CATTLE, AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 4,022 LAST TUESDAY, AND 3,857 THE CORRESPONDING DAY A YEAR AGO.

INCOMING SUPPLIES CONTINUE LIGHT IN THE CATTLE DIVISION, AND THE STEER OFFERING TODAY WAS MODERATELY LIGHT IN PROPORTION, AND EXCEPTIONALLY LIGHT FOR THE AVERAGE TUESDAY. QUALITY AND CONDITION WAS ONLY ORDINARY, RANGING FROM PLAIN COMMON "YELLOW-HAMMERS" TO WELL FINISHED GOOD MATERIAL BUT NONE OF THESE WERE OUTSTANDING IN ANY RESPECT, EXCEPT A FEW SMALL LOTS AND INDIVIDUALS. BETTER GRADE STEERS WERE THE FIRST TO START A SCALEWARD MOVEMENT, THESE RULING FAIRLY ACTIVE, BUT PLAINER RATHER ROUGH LOOKING MATERIAL, ALTHOUGH FAT, DID NOT CHANGE HANDS QUITE AS READILY. A COMPLETE CLEARANCE WAS EFFECTED, HOWEVER, WELL BEFORE THE NOON HOUR AT STEADY TO STRONG TERMS, WITH SPOTS IN THE TRADE SHOWING SOME SLIGHT PRICE BETTERMENT. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS FOLLOWED THE GENERAL TREND OF STEERS, A BETTER REPRESENTATION OF NUMBERS BEING OFFERED TO PURCHASERS THAN YESTERDAY. BUTCHER COWS AND MEDIUM BULLS WERE SCARCE AND THE DEMAND WAS GOOD, BOTH THESE CLASSES SELLING ON A STEADY TO STRONG BASIS WITH BEST KINDS HITTING A NEW HIGH FOR A PRACTICAL TOP FOR THE SEASON. LOW CUTTERS AND CUTTERS APPEARED LITTLE CHANGED, WHILE THE VEALER MARKET REGAINED A SMALL PART OF YESTERDAY'S DECLINE, THE ADVANCE REGISTERING 25¢.

A SHORT LOAD OF YEARLING STEERS WERE SUFFICIENTLY CONDITIONED TO REACH $14.50, WHILE SEVERAL LOADS OF LIGHT AND MEDIUMWEIGHT STEERS RECORDED $14.00. FOR THE BULK OF ALL STEERS THE $12.50 TO $13.85 TERMS RULED, WITH A FEW LOADS OF "YELLOW-HAMMERS" DOWNWARD TO $11.25. SHORT LOADS AND SIZABLE LOTS OF MIXED YEARLINGS STOPPED AT $14.50, STRAIGHT LOADS OF LIGHT HEIFERS $14.25; WITH THE MAJORITY OF THESE CLASSES GOING AT $12.00 TO $14.00. SEVERAL LOTS AND INDIVIDUAL CHOICE COWS REACHED $12.00, WHILE MOST OF THE COW CROP WAS CONFINED TO THE $9.00 TO $10.50 LIMITS, LOW CUTTERS LARGELY $6.25 TO $7.25, AND CUTTERS UPWARD TO $8.25 OR BETTER. MEDIUM BULLS CASHED AT $9.75 DOWN, WHILE VEALERS WENT LARGELY ON SHIPPER ACCOUNT AT $15.50.

HOGS: WITH INCREASING RECEIPTS TO ASSIST BUYING INTERESTS, HOG PRICES REACTED FROM THE HIGH LEVELS REACHED MONDAY, IN FACT, AT THE CLOSE ALL OF THE ADVANCE OF YESTERDAY AND MORE, HAD BEEN REMOVED. SHIPPING ORDERS WERE RELATIVELY LIGHT SO THAT AFTER EARLY ORDERS WERE FILLED THERE WERE MORE THAN ENOUGH TO SATISFY THE DEMAND OF LOCAL INTERESTS AND THE CLOSE WAS SLOW AT THE EXTREME DECLINE. DECIDED UNEVENNESS DEVELOPED AS TRADE PROGRESSED. OPENING SALES WERE MOSTLY 20-25¢ LOWER THAN MONDAY WITH LATER TRADE 30-40¢ LOWER. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS SCALING 140# AND DOWNWARD FOUND A BROAD OUTLET TO SHIPPERS AND MOST OF THESE SOLD EARLY ON A STEADY BASIS. RECEIPTS HERE WERE ESTIMATED AT 14,000, INCLUDING 1,000 BILLED THROUGH, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL MARKETINGS OF 15,701 LAST TUESDAY AND 13,942 CORRESPONDING SESSION A YEAR AGO. TOTAL AT ELEVEN MARKETS EXCEEDED AGGREGATE MARKETINGS OF LAST TUESDAY BY 15 PER CENT.

EARLY SALES OF 160-230# WEIGHTS WERE MADE AT $11.60 TO $11.65, ONE DOUBLE DECK OF AROUND 190# WEIGHTS FURNISHING A TOP OF $11.70. BULK OF THESE WEIGHTS RANGED ALL DAY FROM $11.50 TO $11.60 WITH LATE SALES MOSTLY AROUND $11.50 AND DOWN, SOME EVEN SELLING AS LOW AS $11.40 AT THE EXTREME CLOSE. MOST 230-260# BUTCHERS MOVED AT $11.40 TO $11.50, OCCASIONAL EARLY SALES UP TO $11.55. AT THE EXTREME CLOSE, $11.35 WAS PAID FOR A FEW LOTS OF 260-280# WEIGHTS. MAJORITY OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS CASHED AT $10.50 TO $11.25, PIGS 130# DOWN $9.75 TO $10.50, COMMON SOUTHERN DESCRIPTIONS LOWER. A SPREAD OF $10.10 TO $10.15 TOOK MAJORITY OF PACKING SOWS, THOUGH A FEW SOLD DOWN TO $10.00.

SHEEP: RECEIPTS OF SHEEP AND LAMBS WERE ESTIMATED AT BUT 500 HEAD AND THE ACTUAL MARKETINGS UP TO A LATE HOUR FELL CONSIDERABLY SHORT OF THIS FIGURE. AS A RESULT THERE WERE INSUFFICIENT NUMBERS ON SALE TO TEST THE MARKET WHICH WAS ON A NOMINAL BASIS. A FEW ODD LOTS OF SPRING LAMBS WERE OFFERED BUT THESE WERE IN TOO LIGHT A SUPPLY TO FORM A DEFINITE TRADING BASIS. THE RUN LAST TUESDAY TOTALED 3,066 HEAD AND A YEAR AGO 2,492 ARRIVED. SHORN LAMBS SOLD YESTERDAY TO PACKERS AT $15.50 TO $15.75, LATTER PRICE TAKING 85# AVERAGES, BETTER HANDY WEIGHTS BEING ELIGIBLE TO $16.00. SHORN EWES ARE SELLING AT $10.00 DOWN, ODD HEAD OF WOOLED EWES $10.00 TO $11.00. CITY BUTCHERS PAID FROM $19.00 TO $20.50 FOR A FEW HEAD OF DESIRABLE SPRING LAMBS TODAY.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS SLOW, WEAK TO 10-15¢ LOWER; SHE STOCK STEADY; BULLS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; VEALS AND CALVES STRONG; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS SCARCE, STEADY; FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.75 TO $14.00; FEW LOADS LIGHT STEERS UP TO $14.50; MEDIUM WEIGHTS 1256# $14.55; HEIFERS $12.00 TO $14.10; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00 TO $10.50; CHOICE LOTS $10.75 TO $11.75; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.50 TO $8.00; MEDIUM BULLS $8.75 TO $9.50; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $16.00.

HOGS: SHIPPING DEMAND BROAD AT 10-15¢ LOWER PRICES; BIG PACKERS INACTIVE; TOP $11.15; EARLY SALES 200-300# BUTCHERS $11.00 TO $11.10; 140-200# SELECTIONS $10.25 TO $11.10; FEEDER PIGS $9.50 TO $10.00; PACKING SOWS AND STAGS STEADY AT $10.00 TO $10.25; SMOOTH SOWS UP TO $10.35.

SHEEP: LAMBS OPENING 25¢ HIGHER; OTHER CLASSES STEADY; THREE CARS CALIFORNIA SPRINGERS AVERAGE AROUND 75# AT $18.50; SORTED 5 OUT TO THE CAR; NO SALES FED CLIPPED OR WOOLED LAMBS; WOOLED EWES $10.50 DOWN; SHORN EWES $9.00 DOWN.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, TUESDAY, APRIL 23, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- KILLING QUALITY CONSIDERED; FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS STEADY; TRADE SLOW; CHOICE KINDS VERY SCARCE AND IN DEMAND ON SHIPPER ACCOUNT, ALSO FAIRLY GOOD ACTION ON COMMON AND MEDIUM KINDS SELLING AT $13.50 DOWNWARD; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS FIRM; SHE STOCK, ESPECIALLY WEIGHTY FAT COWS, STEADY TO EASY; BIG PACKERS GOING SLOW; LIGHT YEARLINGS FAIRLY ACTIVE ON LARGE AND SMALL KILLER ACCOUNT; BULLS AND STRICTLY GOOD AND CHOICE SMALL KILLER AND SHIPPER VEALERS STEADY; BIDDING 50¢ LOWER ON LIGHT VEALERS; EARLY TOP $14.75 PAID FOR 636-LB. HEIFER YEARLINGS; SEVERAL LOADS YEARLINGS AND LIGHT STEERS $14.00 TO $14.60; MEDIUM WEIGHT AND WEIGHTY INBETWEEN GRADE STEERS $13.50 TO $14.00; LIGHT SOUTHERN BRED STEERS $12.60, COMPARATIVELY LITTLE TO KILLERS UNDER $12.75; MOST STOCKERS $12.00 TO $13.00; WEIGHTY SAUSAGE BULLS $10.00 TO $10.25; SELECTED SHIPPER VEALERS UP TO $17.00, LARGELY $13.00 TO $14.00 TRADE ON 100 TO 110-LB. KINDS.

HOGS:- SLOW; MOSTLY 10 TO 20¢ LOWER THAN MONDAY'S AVERAGE; LIGHT HOGS SHOWING MOST DECLINE; TOP $11.70 PAID FOR AN OCCASIONAL LOAD OF 160 TO 210-LB. WEIGHTS; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 160 TO 230-LB. WEIGHTS $11.50 TO $11.65; 240 TO 300-LB. AVERAGES $11.35 TO $11.50, FEW STRICTLY CHOICE LOADS AT INSIDE WEIGHT UP TO $11.60; BULK OF BETTER GRADE 130 TO 150-LB. AVERAGES $10.85 TO $11.50; PIGS MOSTLY $10.00 TO $11.00; BULK PACKING SOWS $10.25 TO $10.50, SMOOTH LIGHT WEIGHTS UP TO $10.65 AND $10.75 EARLY.

SHEEP:- VERY SLOW; FEW ODD SALES FAT CLIPPED LAMBS AROUND STEADY WITH MONDAY'S LATE TRADE; GOOD TO CHOICE 78 TO 88-LB. AVERAGES $15.00 TO $16.00, CLOSELY SORTED KINDS HELD SLIGHTLY HIGHER; NO WOOLED LAMBS SOLD, BEST HELD AT $17.00 AND ABOVE; SHEEP GENERALLY STEADY; ONE DOUBLE 117-LB. WOOLED EWES $11.50; 88-LB. CLIPPED AGED WETHERS $11.25; PART LOAD 42-LB. SPRING LAMBS $18.00.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- LITTLE DONE EARLY ON FED STEERS, INDICATIONS AROUND STEADY ON LIGHTER WEIGHTS, WEAK ON OTHERS; LIGHT MIXED YEARLINGS AND FED HEIFERS FAIRLY ACTIVE, STEADY TO STRONG; SLAUGHTER COWS AND BULLS SCARCE, FULLY STEADY; VEALERS AND CALVES UNCHANGED; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS FIRM; CHOICE 778-LB. MIXED YEARLINGS $14.50; 712-LB. HEIFERS $14.15; NUMEROUS LOADS GOOD TO CHOICE LIGHT YEARLINGS $13.00 TO $14.00; BULK FED STEERS ELIGIBLE TO SELL AROUND $12.75 TO $14.00; BULK BUTCHER COWS $9.00 TO $10.50, SHORT LOAD $11.00; ALL CUTTERS $6.00 TO $8.00; MEDIUM BULLS OF STRONG WEIGHT $9.00 TO $9.25; GOOD TO CHOICE VEALERS $12.00 TO $15.00; TWO STRINGS CHOICE WHITE FACED STOCKERS $14.00 TO $14.25; FLESHY FEEDERS $13.50 AND $14.00.

HOGS:- MODERATELY ACTIVE, UNEVEN, 10 TO 25¢ LOWER THAN MONDAY'S AVERAGE; LIGHT LIGHTS OFF MOST; TOP $11.25 FOR CHOICE 190 TO 220-LBS.; BULK DESIRABLE 170 TO 250-LBS. $11.00 TO $11.20; 140 TO 160-LBS. $10.20 TO $10.90; 270 TO 320-LBS. $10.90 TO $11.10; PACKING SOWS $9.50 TO $10.25; STOCK PIGS $9.25 TO $10.40.

SHEEP:- FAT LAMBS SLOW, MOSTLY STEADY; SPOTS SHADE HIGHER ON SPRINGERS; CHOICE ARIZONA SPRINGERS TO SHIPPERS $18.90, OTHERS $18.50 TO $18.75; MOST WOOLED LAMBS $16.50 TO $16.75, TOP $16.85; SHORN LAMBS $15.00 TO $15.25; SHEEP STEADY; ARIZONA SHORN EWES $9.50 TO $10.00.

			NAT'L. STK. YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)						
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$11.15-11.50	$11.20-11.55	$10.70-11.10	$10.50-11.10
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	11.20-11.60	11.35-11.70	10.90-11.25	10.70-11.15
LT. WTS.	(130-200#)	MED-CH	11.00-11.60	11.25-11.70	10.70-11.25	10.40-11.15
LT. LTS.	(130-150#)	MED-CH	10.25-11.50	10.50-11.70	10.15-10.90	10.00-11.00
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.75-10.25	10.15-10.75	9.25-10.25	9.75-10.35
SLAUGHTER PIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	6.75-10.75	9.50-11.35	9.00-10.40	----------
FDR & STKR. PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	8.50-10.75	----------	9.00-10.40	9.00-10.00
AV. COST & WT. MON. (PIGS EXC)			11.41-193#	11.58-239#	11.08-228#	11.06-250#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	----------	13.50-14.50	----------	----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.85-14.50	14.25-14.75	13.40-14.10	13.50-14.50
		GOOD	13.00-13.85	13.50-14.25	12.75-13.40	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.85-14.75	14.25-14.85	13.40-14.35	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.25	12.75-13.75	13.00-13.75
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.25-15.00	13.75-14.65	14.00-14.75
		GOOD	13.50-14.25	13.75-14.25	13.00-13.90	13.25-14.00
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	12.25-13.50	12.50-13.75	11.75-13.00	12.25-13.25
		COMMON	9.75-12.25	10.50-12.50	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.25
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	14.25-15.00	14.50-15.00	13.90-14.65	14.00-14.75
		GOOD	13.50-14.25	13.75-14.50	13.00-13.90	13.25-14.00
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	14.00-14.85	14.00-14.85	13.00-14.15	13.25-14.25
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.00-14.25	12.00-13.50	12.25-13.25
		COM-MED	8.75-13.00	9.50-13.00	8.75-12.25	9.00-12.25
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	11.75-14.00	12.25-14.50	12.00-13.50	11.50-13.75
		GOOD	10.75-13.50	11.25-14.00	10.50-13.00	10.75-13.00
		MEDIUM	9.25-12.75	10.00-13.00	9.00-12.00	9.25-12.25
COWS:		CHOICE	11.00-12.00	11.00-12.00	10.50-11.50	10.75-11.75
		GOOD	10.00-11.00	9.85-11.00	9.75-10.50	9.50-10.75
		COM-MED	8.25-10.00	8.50-9.85	8.00-9.75	8.00-9.50
		LOW CUT-CUT	6.00-8.25	6.75-8.50	5.75-8.00	6.25-8.00
BULLS: (YLG. EXC. BEEF.)		GD-CH	9.75-10.75	10.25-11.50	9.25-10.25	9.50-10.75
		CUT-MED	7.50-9.75	8.50-10.35	7.50-9.25	7.75-9.50
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	10.00-13.00	10.50-13.50	9.50-12.50	10.00-12.50
		CULL-COM	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.50	6.50-9.50	6.50-10.00
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	14.00-15.50	13.00-17.00	11.50-15.00	13.00-16.00
		MEDIUM	11.50-14.00	11.00-13.00	9.50-11.50	11.50-13.00
		CULL-COM	6.00-11.50	8.00-11.00	6.00-9.50	6.00-11.50
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	12.50-13.50	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.50
		COM-MED	9.00-11.50	10.25-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.75-12.00
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	12.50-13.50	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.25
		COM-MED	8.50-11.50	10.00-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	11.00-12.00	10.25-11.75	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		COM-MED	8.50-11.00	9.25-10.25	8.25-10.50	8.25-9.75
COWS:		GD-CH	8.50-9.25	8.50-9.00	8.25-9.25	8.00-9.00
		COM-MED	7.50-8.50	8.00-9.50	7.25-8.25	6.75-8.00
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	----------	----------	12.25-14.50	11.75-14.25
		MEDIUM	----------	----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:- ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.						
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	----------	----------	17.50-18.30	----------
		MEDIUM	----------	----------	16.00-17.50	----------
		CULL-COM	----------	----------	13.50-16.00	----------
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	15.25-16.00	15.35-16.15	14.75-15.50	15.25-16.00
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	15.25-16.00	15.25-16.15	14.50-15.25	15.00-16.00
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	14.00-15.25	14.65-15.35	14.00-14.75	14.50-15.25
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	----------	14.25-16.00	13.75-15.10	14.25-15.75
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	10.25-14.00	11.25-14.65	10.00-14.00	11.25-14.50
YEARLING WETHERS	(110# DN)	MED-CH	10.00-14.00	10.50-14.50	10.00-14.25	10.00-13.75
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	8.25-10.00	8.25-10.50	8.00-10.00	8.00-9.50
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	7.75-8.75	8.00-10.25	7.50-9.50	7.75-9.25
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	3.50-8.25	3.00-9.25	2.50-9.00	2.50-8.00

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-WEDNESDAY-APRIL 24, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**2,500	**1,500	16,500	1,000
CHICAGO	8,500	4,000	20,000	9,000
KANSAS CITY	6,000	500	13,000	12,000
OMAHA	5,000	300	11,000	9,000
ST. JOSEPH	2,200	200	7,500	4,000
ST. PAUL	3,500	4,000	13,000	100
SIOUX CITY	3,000	200	10,000	1,500
CINCINNATI	325	500	2,500	200
INDIANAPOLIS	1,400	800	9,000	300
PITTSBURG	25	200	1,300	500
BUFFALO	125	325	1,450	1,000
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	32,575	12,525	105,750	42,100
ONE WEEK AGO	34,500	13,000	88,900	50,250
ONE YEAR AGO	34,930	12,800	96,700	38,825
TO DATE THIS WEEK	114,825	39,000	309,225	144,150
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	125,275	38,600	303,170	159,400
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	127,270	35,850	296,100	122,600

**RUN INCLUDES 400 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 800 THROUGH AND 1,700 DIRECT; CHICAGO 4,000; KANSAS CITY 1,000; OMAHA 2,500; ST. JOSEPH 450; SIOUX CITY 900; ST. PAUL 400.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-TUESDAY-APR. 23, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	2,974	2,348	17,708	276
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	1,003	1,274	6,778	- -
PACKER PURCHASES	2,231	1,167	6,791	468

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-WEDNESDAY-APR. 24, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P. M.)

CATTLE: CATTLE RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 2,500 THIS MORNING, AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS NUMBERING 2,753 LAST WEDNESDAY, AND 3,096 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

THE STEER MARKET OPENED RATHER SLOWLY TODAY AND IT APPEARED EARLY THAT BUYERS WERE GOING TO OPERATE VERY CAUTIOUSLY, BUT WITH MODERATELY LIGHT NUMBERS ON HAND, AND LITTLE TO CHOOSE FROM, IT WAS NOT LONG BEFORE TRADING WAS UNDER WAY AT GENERALLY STEADY TO STRONG PRICES. MANY OF THE STEERS WERE LIGHTWEIGHTS, A FEW ON THE LONG YEARLING ORDER AND CONSISTED QUITE LARGELY OF MEDIUM AND GOOD GRADE MATERIAL. THE MIXED YEARLING AND HEIFER SECTION PROVED TO BE THE SOFT SPOT IN THE TRADE, SOME DECLINES BREAKING OUT HERE AND THERE ON THE INBETWEEN GRADE KINDS DURING THE MIDSESSION, AND IT REQUIRED MUCH PEDDLING TO MAINTAIN VALUES ON A STEADY TO WEAK BASIS. CHOICE LIGHT KINDS, HOWEVER, WERE IN GOOD DEMAND AT FULLY STEADY PRICES, THIS END OF THE TRADE BEING FEATURED BY AN OUTSTANDING LOAD OF STRICTLY CHOICE LIGHT HEIFERS, QUITE COMPARABLE TO THE LOAD WHICH SOLD AT $14.75 ON THE MARKET A WEEK AGO. BUYER'S BIDS WERE VERY UNEVEN ON THE COWS, SOME BEING SHARPLY LOWER, BUT THE DEMAND WAS SUFFICIENT TO EFFECT A CLEARANCE ON THESE WITHOUT ANY APPRECIABLE CHANGES IN VALUES. BEST WEIGHTY MEDIUM BULLS SHOWED ANOTHER ELEMENT OF STRENGTH, BUT PLAINER LIGHT KINDS LACKED ATTENTION. THE VEALER MARKET TOOK A JUMP OF 75¢, RECOVERING ALL OF THE CURRENT WEEK'S LOSS.

A LOAD OF WELL FINISHED 1119# AVERAGES PLACED THE STEER TOP AT $14.50, TWO LOADS OF SOMEWHAT HEAVIER WEIGHTS STOPPING AT $14.00, WHILE THE BULK OF ALL STEERS CLEARED AT $12.50 TO $13.75, SOME COMMON KINDS DOWNWARD TO $11.50. A CAR OF STRICTLY CHOICE 622# HEIFERS REGISTERED A NEW HIGH TOP FOR THE YEAR AT $15.00, WITH THE BULK OF ALL MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS LARGELY $12.00 TO $14.00. MOST COWS CLEARED AT $9.00 TO $10.50, A FEW LOW CUTTERS $6.25 TO $7.25, AND CUTTERS UPWARD TO $8.25. THE PRACTICAL TOP FOR THE LIMITED SUPPLY OF BEST MEDIUM BULLS WAS $9.75, AN OCCASIONAL OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL REACHING $10.00. PACKERS OPERATED IN THE VEALER MARKET AT $16.25 FOR THE TOP AND BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS.

HOGS: INCREASED RECEIPTS PROVED A BEARISH FACTOR AND HOG PRICES SANK TO A NEW LOW LEVEL FOR THE MONTH. SELLERS FOR THE MOST PART EARLY CONCEDED A DECLINE OF 25-30¢ FROM THE BEST TIME OF TUESDAY OR 15-20¢ FROM THE AVERAGE OF YESTERDAY. QUALITY WAS SOMEWHAT LACKING IN THE RUN AS A WHOLE. THE LOW LEVELS MADE PRICES VERY ATTRACTIVE TO EASTERN KILLERS AND SHIPPING DEMAND EXPANDED SUBSTANTIALLY ABOUT MIDSESSION. THE RESULT WAS CONSIDERABLE ACTIVITY AND DECIDED STRENGTH AT THE DECLINE. AFTER SHIPPER AND BUTCHER ORDERS WERE FILLED COMPARATIVELY FEW WERE LEFT FOR PACKERS THOUGH ALL INTERESTS WERE BUYING ACTIVELY AT THE CLOSE. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS SHARED THE DECLINES THOUGH THEY SOLD ACTIVELY. LOCAL SUPPLIES WERE ESTIMATED AT 16,500, INCLUDING 2,500 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 14,483 LAST WEDNESDAY AND 12,862 A YEAR AGO.

ON EARLY ROUNDS MAJORITY OF 160-240# WEIGHTS CLEARED WITHIN A SPREAD OF $11.25 TO $11.35. ABOUT MIDSESSION SEVERAL LOADS OF CHOICE AROUND 200# WEIGHTS REALIZED $11.40 AND AT THE CLOSE MOST 160-270# WEIGHTS WERE MOVING AT $11.25 TO $11.40, ONLY THE WEIGHTIER DESCRIPTIONS AT THE LOWER FIGURE. EXTREME HEAVIES WERE SCARCE. BULK OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS CASHED AT $10.25 TO $11.00 WITH PIGS SCALING 130# DOWN AT $8.50 TO $10.25, COMMON SOUTHERN PIGS LOWER. POPULAR PRICE FOR PACKING SOWS WAS $9.90, THOUGH A FEW ODD HEAD SOLD UP TO $10.00 AND ROUGHER DESCRIPTIONS CASHED AT $9.65.

SHEEP: SHEEP AND LAMB RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 1,000 HEAD, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL MARKETINGS OF 2,022 LAST WEDNESDAY AND 1,153 A YEAR AGO. TRADE WAS SOMEWHAT UNEVEN BUT MOST LAMB SALES RULED 25¢ HIGHER WITH OCCASIONAL SALES TO CITY BUTCHERS SHOWING A GREATER ADVANCE. SHEEP WERE STEADY. SPRING LAMBS WERE MORE NUMEROUS BUT PRICES WERE STILL SO UNEVEN THAT QUOTATIONS COULD NOT BE DEFINITELY ESTABLISHED. CITY BUTCHERS PAID $16.50 FOR 150 HEAD OF STRICTLY CHOICE 84# SHORN LAMBS. BEST SALES ON PACKER ACCOUNT WERE $16.00 PAID FOR ABOUT A DECK OF 75# AVERAGES AND FOR 177 HEAD OF 76# WEIGHTS FROM A LOCAL FEEDLOT. QUALITY ON THE WHOLE WAS RATHER UNDESIRABLE AND QUITE NUMEROUS ODD LOTS SOLD AT $15.75 AND DOWNWARD. CULLS WERE REMOVED AT $11.00 TO $13.00. A FEW ODD LOTS OF WOOLED LAMBS SOLD FROM $16.75 DOWNWARD. A SPREAD OF $9.00 TO $10.00 TOOK MOST OF THE SHORN EWES WITH A FEW WOOLED DESCRIPTIONS ABOVE THE LATTER FIGURE. PACKERS TOOK SEVERAL SIZABLE LOTS OF SPRING LAMBS AT $18.50 AND $19.00 WITH ODD HEAD OF CHOICE KINDS GOING TO BUTCHERS AS HIGH AS $21.00.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: YLGS. & LIGHT STEERS ACTIVE, STEADY TO STRONG; WEIGHTY STEERS STEADY; HEIFERS STEADY; COWS STRONG; BULLS & VEALS STEADY; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS STEADY; STEERS & YLGS. $13.00-14.00; LIGHT STEERS AND YLGS. $14.25-14.40; MIXED YEARLINGS $14.30; HEIFERS $12.00-14.00; COWS $9.00-10.50; ALL CUTTERS $6.50-8.25; BULLS $9.00-9.25; VEALS $16.00; FEW TO INDEPENDENTS $16.50; CALVES 50¢ HIGHER, $12.00-13.00; FEW UP TO $14.00.

HOGS: SLOW, FULLY 10¢ LOWER; TOP $11.10; 180-320# $10.90-11.00; LIGHT LIGHTS $10.25; PACKING SOWS AND STAGS 10-15¢ HIGHER, $10.25-10.40; FEEDER PIGS UNCHANGED, $9.50 TO $10.00.

SHEEP: WOOLED LAMBS STEADY; CLIPPED LAMBS STEADY TO STRONG; OTHER CLASSES STEADY; BULK FED WOOLED LAMBS $16.60-16.75; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $15.70-16.10; CALIFORNIA SPRING LAMBS 70# $13.50; NATIVE SPRINGERS $18.00-18.50; WOOLED EWES $10.50 DOWN; SHORN EWES $9.50; SHEARING LAMBS AT $16.75.

E. K. HESS, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE.
4-24-29 ACA 1:55 P. M.

-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- Better grade fed steers and yearlings fully steady, others uneven, slow but mostly steady; she stock steady to 25¢ lower; only desirable light butcher heifers holding up; bulls weak to 15¢ off; vealers steady to strong; supply choice steers comparatively small; early top light heifers $14.35; best weighty steers $14.65, some confidently held higher; several loads choice light and medium weight bullocks $14.50 and $14.60; most lower grades $12.50 to $13.50, common kinds down to $12.10; stockers and feeders steady; meaty feeders late Tuesday up to $13.65; $10.25 paid early by shippers for weighty sausage bulls, mostly $9.75 to $10.00 later on weighty kinds; choice vealers up to $17.00, light kinds $13.00 to $14.00, mostly $13.50 to $14.00.

HOGS:- Mostly steady to 10¢ lower than Tuesday's average; weight averages under 240-lb. showing most of decline; top $11.60 paid for a load of around 200-lb. weights; bulk of good and choice 160 to 230-lb. averages $11.40 to $11.55; 240 to 300-lb. weights $11.30 to $11.45; bulk of better grade 130 to 150-lb. averages $10.75 to $11.40; pigs mostly $9.75 to $10.75, choice strong weights up to $11.25; bulk packing sows $10.25 to $10.50, smooth light sorts up to $10.75 and $10.85.

SHEEP:- Market fairly active; fat lambs strong to 15¢ higher; closely sorted handy-weight clippers to outsiders $16.25; bulk desirable kinds $15.75 to $16.15, plainer kinds downward from $15.50; throwouts largely $13.00 to $14.00; no wooled lambs sold, best held around $17.00; sheep generally steady; odd lots clipped ewes $10.25 downward; best wooled ewes $10.50 to $11.75.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- Lighter weight fed steers and yearlings including fed heifers fairly active, steady to strong; weighty steers opening steady; waterfills not as liberal as yesterday other killing classes mostlysteady; stockers and feeders scarce, firm; choice mixed yearlings averaging around 800-lbs. to local butchers $14.75; choice 796-lb. yearling steers $14.50; bulk desirable light weight steers and yearlings $13.00 to $14.25; five loads 1117-lb. Nebraskas at latter price; bulk butcher cows $9.00 to $10.50; one load choice heavy cows $11.50; medium bulls mostly $9.00 to $9.25; good to choice vealers $12.00 to $15.00; choice 700-lb. stockers $14.00.

HOGS:- Active; steady to 10¢ lower than Tuesday's average; mostly steady; packer and shipper top $11.15 on 190 to 200-lbs.; odd lots choice 210-lbs. to shippers at $11.20; bulk 170 to 250-lbs. $11.00 to $11.15; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.20 to $11.00; 250 to 320-lbs. $10.85 to $11.05; packing sows $9.40 to $10.00; stock pigs $9.25 to $10.50.

SHEEP:- Early sales fat lambs around steady; later trade dull; weaker undertone prevailing; Arizona springers $18.75; best wooled lambs $16.75; clippers mostly $14.90 to $15.25; shorn yearlings $14.50; sheep steady; shorn two year old wethers $12.75; Arizona shorn ewes $9.75 to $10.00.

HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$11.00-11.35	$11.10-11.50	$10.70-11.10	$10.50-11.05
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	11.10-11.40	11.15-11.60	11.00-11.20	10.70-11.10
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	10.75-11.40	11.00-11.60	10.90-11.15	10.35-11.10
Lt. Lts.	(130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.00-11.35	10.40-11.30	10.20-11.00	10.00-10.90
Packing sows, smooth and rough			9.60-10.00	10.15-10.75	9.00-10.00	9.90-10.45
Slaughter Pigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	8.50-10.50	9.50-11.25	9.00-10.50	----------
Fdr &Stkr. Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.50	----------	9.00-10.50	9.00-10.00
Av. Cost & Wt. Tues. (PigsExc)			11.34-198#	11.38-244#	10.97-235#	10.99-254#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	----------	13.50-14.85	----------	----------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.85-14.50	14.25-14.85	13.40-14.10	13.50-14.50
		Good	13.00-13.85	13.65-14.25	12.75-13.40	12.75-13.50
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.35-14.75	14.25-14.90	13.40-14.65	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.25-14.00	13.65-14.25	12.75-13.75	13.00-13.75
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	14.00-15.00	14.35-15.00	13.75-14.65	14.00-14.75
		Good	13.50-14.25	13.75-14.35	13.00-13.90	13.25-14.00
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	12.25-13.50	12.60-13.75	11.75-13.00	12.25-13.25
		Common	9.75-12.25	10.50-12.30	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.25
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)		Choice	14.25-15.00	14.50-15.00	13.90-14.65	14.00-14.75
		Good	13.50-14.25	13.75-14.50	13.00-13.90	13.25-14.00
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	14.00-15.00	14.00-14.85	13.00-14.15	13.25-14.25
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.00-14.25	12.00-13.50	12.25-13.25
		Com-Med	8.75-13.00	9.50-13.00	8.75-12.25	9.00-12.25
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	11.75-14.00	12.25-14.50	12.00-13.50	11.50-13.75
		Good	10.75-13.50	11.25-14.00	10.50-13.00	10.75-13.00
		Medium	9.25-12.75	10.00-13.00	9.00-12.00	9.25-12.25
Cows:		Choice	11.00-12.00	11.00-12.00	10.50-11.50	10.75-11.75
		Good	10.00-11.00	9.75-11.00	9.75-10.50	9.50-10.75
		Com-Med	8.25-10.00	8.25- 9.75	8.00- 9.75	8.25- 9.50
		LowCut-Cut	6.00- 8.25	6.75- 8.25	5.75- 8.00	6.25- 8.25
Bulls: (Ylg.Exc.Beef.)		Gd-Ch	9.75-10.75	10.25-11.50	9.25-10.25	9.50-10.75
		Cut-Med	7.50- 9.75	8.50-10.25	7.50- 9.25	7.75- 9.50
Calves:	(500# dn)	Med-Ch	10.00-13.00	10.50-13.50	9.50-12.50	10.50-13.50
		Cull-Com	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.50	6.50- 9.50	6.50-10.50
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	14.75-16.25	13.50-17.00	11.50-15.00	13.00-16.50
		Medium	12.25-14.75	11.00-13.50	9.50-11.50	11.50-13.00
		Cull-Com	6.00-12.25	8.00-11.00	6.00- 9.50	6.00-11.50
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	12.50-13.50	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.50
		Com-Med	9.00-11.50	10.25-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.75-12.00
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	12.50-13.50	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.25
		Com-Med	8.50-11.50	10.00-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	11.00-12.00	10.25-11.75	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		Com-Med	8.50-11.00	9.25-10.25	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.50- 9.25	8.50- 9.00	8.25- 9.25	8.00- 9.00
		Com-Med	7.50- 8.50	8.00- 8.50	7.25- 8.25	6.75- 8.00
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	----------	----------	12.25-14.50	11.75-14.25
		Medium	----------	----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
Spring Lambs:		Gd-Ch	----------	----------	17.50-18.75	----------
		Medium	----------	----------	16.00-17.50	----------
		Cull-Com	----------	----------	13.50-16.00	----------
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	15.50-16.50	15.50-16.25	14.75-15.50	15.25-16.10
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	15.50-16.50	15.25-16.25	14.50-15.25	15.00-16.10
	(92# dn)	Medium	14.25-15.50	14.50-15.50	14.00-14.75	14.50-15.25
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	----------	14.25-16.00	13.75-15.10	14.25-15.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	10.25-14.25	11.25-14.65	10.00-14.00	11.25-14.50
Yearling Wethers	(110#dn)	Med-Ch	10.00-14.00	10.50-14.50	10.00-14.25	10.00-13.75
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.00	8.25-10.50	8.00-10.00	8.00- 9.50
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	7.75- 9.75	8.00-10.25	7.50- 9.50	7.75- 9.25
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	3.50- 8.25	3.00- 8.25	2.50- 8.00	2.50- 8.00

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-THURSDAY-APRIL 25, 1929.

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
National Stock Yards	**1,600	**1,500	14,000	800
Chicago	8,000	4,000	31,000	10,000
Kansas City	2,000	300	8,000	11,000
Omaha	2,700	100	8,000	12,000
St. Joseph	1,200	200	4,000	6,000
St. Paul	2,800	2,200	5,500	500
Sioux City	1,500	200	4,500	2,500
Cincinnati	350	500	2,800	300
Indianapolis	700	700	5,000	200
Pittsburg	25	150	2,000	1,200
Buffalo	75	125	950	300
Total 11 markets	20,950	9,975	85,750	44,800
One week ago	25,435	9,400	94,735	51,800
One year ago	29,275	12,925	92,600	33,575
To date this week	135,775	47,975	394,975	188,950
Same period last week	150,710	49,000	402,905	211,200
Same period last year	156,545	45,773	388,700	156,175

**Run includes 400 cattle and calves on through billing. Today's estimated hog receipts include estimated unloads of through and direct billed hogs as follows: National Stock Yards 2,000 through and 1,000 direct; Chicago 7,000; Kansas City 1,000; Omaha 1,700; St. Joseph none; Sioux City 300; St. Paul 250.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-WEDNESDAY-APR. 24, 1929.

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Actual receipts	2,585	1,954	15,493	691
Total shipments	610	549	6,725	- -
Packer purchases	2,251	1,484	8,266	971

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-THURSDAY-APRIL 25, 1929
(Based on Market Conditions and Sales reported up to 1:00 P.M.)

CATTLE: Receipts of cattle were estimated at 1,600 today, as compared with actual arrivals of 1,547 last Thursday, and a total of 1,612 the corresponding day last year.

There was not much to the trade in the cattle division on early rounds as a good share of the light run was late in arriving, these for the most part being steers. At the best, on the average, it required a longer bargaining before the cattle commenced changing hands, reflecting that much of the "snap" found early in the week was lacking. A few "yellowhammer" steers sold early at stronger prices, but later transactions were put across on a generally steady basis. The weaker undertone in the mixed yearling and heifer division carried a hangover into the trade today, placed these classes on a steady to weak footing, with spots in the trade registering a decline of 25¢ over the two day period, and flattening out practically all of the advance which had accumulated on inbetween grade kinds earlier in the week. Butcher cows met with a steady deal, while in the cutter trade a few lower bids were offered, but most of the fresh supplies continued on an unchanged basis. On the small supply of medium bulls prices were quotable strong to 25¢ higher, while the vealers took another advance of 25¢.

Among the steers was a load of well finished 1058# averages which placed the day's top at $14.40. A load scaling 1251# registered $14.15, while a car of 1020# averages made the $13.90 money, the bulk of all sales from this price downward to $12.50. Another load of strictly choice 842# heifers was offered today, these cashing at $14.30, with mixed yearlings and heifers on the whole largely $12.00 to $13.75. Most cows cleared at $9.00 to $10.50, a few low cutters $6.25 to $7.25, and cutters upward to $8.25. Best medium bulls topped at $10.00, others downward according to weight and condition. Good and choice vealers went largely to shippers at $16.50 for the top and bulk, as against $16.00 and $16.25 on comparable kinds last Thursday.

HOGS: Decreasing receipts and expanded shipping outlet resulted in hog prices reacting in favor of producing interests. Trade opened actively at an advance of 10-15¢, mostly to shippers and butchers. With increasing orders from the East later trade strengthened until at the close prices were 15 to as much as 25¢ above the average of Wednesday. Shippers practically cleaned the yards although packers and butchers made limited purchases. Closing trade was active at the full strength of the market. Pigs and light lights shared the advance, these ruling strong to 25¢ higher and packing sows advanced 10-15¢. Receipts here were estimated at 14,000 head, including 3,000 billed through and direct, compared with actual marketings of 15,343 last Thursday and 16,190 a year ago. Aggregate supplies at eleven markets was about 10% under the total a week ago.

A few early sales of 160-220# hogs were noted at $11.40 to $11.50, the latter price being the most popular figure all day. Comparatively few sold under $11.50 after mid-session and late bulk of 160-260# weights ranged from $11.50 to $11.55. Top price was $11.60 paid freely on rounds, some choice 250-260# butchers realizing this figure, though it was paid mostly for 190-220# kinds. Weightier hogs were in very light supply. Majority of 130-150# light lights moved at $10.50 to $11.25, occasional lots of one thirties down to $10.25. Pigs scaling 130# and down cashed at $8.50 to $10.50, according to weight and quality. Bulk of packing sows cleared at $10.00 to $10.10, several lots of better kinds earning $11.15 and above.

SHEEP: Receipts of sheep today were mostly in on through billing and did not enter into the day's trade. The run was estimated at 800 head, compared with actual marketings of 472 last Thursday and 273 corresponding day a year ago. Only odd lots of lambs were offered, these selling steady. Light and handyweight fat ewes sold steady while some discrimination was noted against weightier kinds which suffered uneven declines. City butchers paid as high as $16.50 for a few odd head of choice shorn lambs, bulk of this class going to packers around $16.00, with culls around $11.00 to $13.00. A few spring lambs earned $18.50. Better light and handyweight shorn ewes are selling up to around $10.00, weightier descriptions clearing at $9.00 to $9.50.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: All classes steady; bulk fed steers and yearlings $13.00 to $14.00; weighty steers $14.15; yearlings $14.35; heifers $12.25 to $13.65; bulk beef cows $9.00 to $10.50; bulk all cutters $6.50 to $8.25; medium bulls $8.75 to $9.50; practical top veals $16.00; several loads Californias to feeder dealers $13.25.

HOGS: Steady to strong with Wednesday's av.; top $11.15 on butchers 250# down; bulk 180-320# av. $11.00-11.15; 150-180# selections $10.50-11.10; packing sows 10-15¢ higher; mostly $10.35-10.50; smooth grades up to $10.60; feeder pigs scarce.

SHEEP: Lambs steady to 25¢ lower; other classes steady; early bulk fed wooled lambs $16.50; two loads to shippers early $17.00; best fed clipped lambs held around $15.70; one car medium grade California spring lambs straight, av. 66#, at $17.65; shorn ewes mostly $8.75 to $9.25; shearing lambs $16.50 to $16.75; three cars California lambs and yearlings, shorn, to feeder dealers, av. 70#, at $13.25; sorted 150 head at $10.00.

4-25-29 ACA
1:25 P. M.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A.M.

CATTLE:- Fed steers steady to strong; in-between grades light kinds showing most strength; supply relatively scarce; shipper demand fairly broad; fat cows steady to weak; desirable light heifers and mixed yearlings in good demand; bulls more active, steady; two-way market on vealers, strictly good and choice weighty kinds weak; light kinds to big packers slow, but strong; feeders firm; early top 1386-lb. steers $14.90; highly finished big weights $14.75; 1444-lb. averages $14.60; most early sales $13.50 to $14.50; most stockers and feeders $12.00 to $13.25; most fat cows $9.00 to $10.00; cutters $6.50 to $8.00; practical top weighty sausage bulls $10.00, largely $9.50 to $10.00 market; few outstanding offerings up to $10.25; mostly $16.00 to $16.50 trade on shipper vealers, with big packers bidding $14.00 to $14.50 on light kinds.

HOGS:- Fairly active to all interests, mostly steady to strong with Wednesday's average; spots 5 to 10¢ higher on choice heavy butchers; top $11.60 paid for a few loads of 170 to 210-lb. weights; bulk of good and choice 170 to 240-lb. averages $11.40 to $11.55; 250 to 310-lb. weights $11.30 to $11.50, mostly $11.40 and $11.45; desirable grades of 130 to 150-lb. averages $10.85 to $11.40; choice 150-lb. weights up to $11.50; pigs mostly $10.00 to $11.00, choice strong weights up to $11.25; bulk packing sows $10.25 to $10.60, smooth light weights up to $10.75 and $10.80.

SHEEP:- Early trading mostly on shipping account, around steady; undertone weak; several doubles choice 87 to 91-lb. wooled lambs $17.00 to $17.10, best held at $17.25; no early trading on clipped lambs, some bids unevenly lower; sheep scarce, generally steady; best clipped ewes $10.25; one double 80-lb. shearing lambs $16.35.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- Killing classes cattle fairly active, generally steady; quality fed steers largely medium to good; vealers strong, spots higher on choice selections; stockers and feeders scarce, unchanged; choice 868-lb. yearling steers $14.40; two loads 570-lb. heifers $14.25; two loads 1129-lb. Colorado steers $13.85; bulk medium to good steers $12.75 to $13.60; plain light weight dogies downward to $11.00; odd lots butcher cows $9.00 to $10.50; all cutters $6.00 to $8.00; medium bulls $9.00 to $9.25; few choice vealers $16.00, bulk $15.00 down.

HOGS:- Fairly active; strong to 10¢ higher than Wednesday's average; shipper top $11.25 on 180 to 240-lbs.; bulk 170 to 250-lbs. $11.00 to $11.25; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.35 to $11.15; 250 to 350-lbs. $10.90 to $11.20; packing sows $9.50 to $10.25, or 10 to 25¢ higher; stock pigs steady at $9.25 to $10.50.

SHEEP:- Few sales fed lambs 15 to 25¢ lower; no springers sold; five loads wool-skins $16.50; two loads Texas shorn lambs $14.75; sheep scarce, steady.

HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)			NAT'L STK. YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A.M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$11.20-11.60	$11.10-11.50	$10.80-11.20	$10.65-11.15
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	11.25-11.60	11.15-11.60	11.00-11.25	10.75-11.15
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	11.00-11.60	11.00-11.60	11.00-11.25	10.50-11.15
Lt. Lts.	(130-150#)	Med-Ch	10.25-11.55	10.40-11.30	10.35-11.15	10.00-11.00
Packing sows, smooth and rough			9.70-10.15	10.15-10.75	9.25-10.25	10.00-10.60
Slaughter Pigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	8.75-10.75	9.50-11.25	9.00-10.50	-----------
Fdr & Stkr. Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	8.50-10.75	-----------	9.00-10.50	9.00-10.00
Av. Cost & Wt. Wed. (Pigs Exc)			11.22-214#	11.41-242#	10.94-234#	10.96-251#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	-----------	13.50-14.75	-----------	-----------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.85-14.50	14.25-14.90	13.50-14.25	13.50-14.50
		Good	13.00-13.85	13.50-14.25	12.85-13.50	12.75-13.50
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.85-14.75	14.25-14.90	13.50-14.65	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.25	12.85-13.75	13.00-13.75
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	14.00-15.00	14.35-15.00	13.75-14.75	14.00-14.75
		Good	13.50-14.25	13.60-14.35	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.00
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	12.40-13.50	12.50-13.75	11.75-13.00	12.25-13.25
		Common	9.75-12.40	10.50-12.50	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.25
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)		Choice	14.25-15.00	14.50-15.00	14.00-14.75	14.00-14.75
		Good	13.50-14.25	13.75-14.50	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.00
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	14.00-14.90	14.00-14.85	13.25-14.25	13.25-14.25
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.00-14.25	12.00-13.50	12.25-13.25
		Com-Med	8.75-13.00	9.50-13.00	9.00-12.25	9.00-12.25
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	11.75-14.00	12.25-14.50	12.00-13.75	11.50-13.75
		Good	10.75-13.50	11.25-14.00	10.75-13.25	10.75-13.00
		Medium	8.25-12.50	10.00-13.00	9.25-12.00	9.25-12.25
Cows:		Choice	11.00-12.00	10.75-12.00	10.50-11.50	10.75-11.75
		Good	10.00-11.00	9.50-10.75	9.75-10.50	9.50-10.75
		Com-Med	8.25-10.00	8.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75	8.25- 9.50
		Low Cut-Cut	6.00- 8.25	6.50- 8.50	5.75- 8.00	6.25- 8.25
Bulls: (Ylg. Exc. Beef.)		Gd-Ch	10.00-10.75	10.25-11.50	9.25-10.25	9.50-10.75
		Cut-Med	7.50-10.00	8.50-10.25	7.50- 9.25	7.75- 9.50
Calves:	(500# dn)	Med-Ch	10.00-13.00	10.50-13.50	9.50-12.50	10.50-13.50
		Cull-Com	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.50	6.50- 9.50	6.50-10.50
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	15.00-16.50	14.00-16.50	12.00-16.00	13.00-16.50
		Medium	12.50-15.00	11.00-14.00	9.50-12.00	11.50-13.00
		Cull-Com	6.00-12.50	8.00-11.00	6.00- 9.50	6.00-11.50
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	12.50-13.50	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.50
		Com-Med	9.00-11.50	10.00-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.75-12.00
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	12.50-13.50	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.25
		Com-Med	8.50-11.50	9.75-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	11.00-12.00	10.25-11.75	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		Com-Med	8.50-11.00	9.25-10.25	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.50- 9.25	8.50- 9.00	8.25- 9.25	8.00- 9.00
		Com-Med	7.50- 8.50	8.00- 8.50	7.25- 8.25	6.75- 8.00
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	-----------	-----------	12.25-14.50	11.75-14.25
		Medium	-----------	-----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
Spring Lambs:		Gd-Ch	-----------	-----------	17.25-18.50	-----------
		Medium	-----------	-----------	16.00-17.25	-----------
		Cull-Com	-----------	-----------	13.25-16.00	-----------
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	15.50-16.50	15.50-16.35	14.50-15.25	15.25-15.85
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	15.50-16.50	15.25-16.35	14.25-15.15	15.00-15.85
	(92# dn)	Medium	14.25-15.50	14.65-15.50	13.75-14.50	14.50-15.25
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	-----------	14.25-16.15	13.75-15.00	14.25-15.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	10.25-14.25	11.25-14.65	10.00-13.75	11.25-14.50
Yearling Wethers	(110# dn)	Med-Ch	10.00-14.00	10.50-14.50	10.00-14.25	10.00-13.75
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.00	8.25-10.50	8.00- 9.65	9.00- 9.50
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	7.75- 9.75	8.00-10.25	7.50- 9.50	7.75- 9.25
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	3.50- 8.25	3.00- 8.25	2.50- 8.00	2.50- 8.00

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS - ILLINOIS

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-FRIDAY-APRIL 26, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**500	**500	8,000	250
CHICAGO	1,000	1,000	14,000	7,000
KANSAS CITY	500	100	5,000	4,000
OMAHA	1,000	100	7,500	6,000
ST. JOSEPH	200	-	2,500	9,500
ST. PAUL	2,000	1,500	7,500	800
SIOUX CITY	1,500	200	7,000	2,000
CINCINNATI	250	425	3,700	200
INDIANAPOLIS	400	600	5,000	200
PITTSBURG	25	150	1,000	850
BUFFALO	75	600	3,350	2,000
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	7,450	5,175	64,550	32,800
ONE WEEK AGO	8,600	5,275	73,360	43,650
ONE YEAR AGO	9,220	5,655	34,400	32,350
TO DATE THIS WEEK	143,225	53,150	459,525	221,750
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	159,310	54,275	478,435	254,850
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	165,765	54,430	473,100	187,525

**RUN INCLUDES 200 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 700 THROUGH AND 500 DIRECT; CHICAGO 4,000; KANSAS CITY 1,100; OMAHA 1,133; ST. JOSEPH NONE; SIOUX CITY 500; ST. PAUL 150.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-THURSDAY-APR. 25, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	1,537	1,522	14,142	727
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	291	977	10,341	302
PACKER PURCHASES	1,208	406	4,734	331

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-FRIDAY-APRIL 26, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P. M.)

CATTLE: MORNING ESTIMATES OF CATTLE WERE PLACED AT 500 TODAY, AS AGAINST ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 893 LAST FRIDAY, AND 337 BY ACTUAL COUNT THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

WITH SEVERAL LOADS OF CATTLE IN ON THROUGH BILLING DEDUCTED FROM THE MEAGER ESTIMATE, THE SALABLE SUPPLY WHICH WAS LEFT BECAME ALMOST NEGLIGIBLE QUANTITY AND IN TRADE TERMS, "THERE WERE NOT ENOUGH HERE TO MAKE A MARKET". PRACTICALLY ALL OF THE STEERS OFFERED WERE IN STOCKER AND FEEDER FLESH, THESE SELLING FULLY STEADY, WHILE ANYTHING POSSESSING A KILL WAS VERY MUCH ON A CATCH-AS-CATCH-CAN BASIS AS PACKER BUYERS WERE VERY LITTLE INTERESTED IN THE FEW STRAGGLERS. A LOAD OF FINISHING STEERS OF GOOD QUALITY AND IN CONDITION TO HAVE A TWO-WAY VALUE WENT ON COUNTRY ACCOUNT AT $13.15, THESE AVERAGING 859#. THE VEALER MARKET WAS BOOSTED SHARPLY TO THE EXTENT OF 50¢, THE BULK OF THE GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS GOING TO PACKERS AT $17.00. IT WAS LARGELY A CLEAN-UP TRADE OF ODDS AND ENDS ON OTHER CLASSES AT ABOUT STEADY PRICES, ODD LOTS OF MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS RANGING CHIEFLY FROM $12.00 TO $13.50, A FEW INDIVIDUALS UP TO $14.50. THE FEW COWS WERE QUITE LARGELY A KIND TO SELL FROM $9.00 TO $10.50, WITH SOME LOW CUTTERS $6.25 TO $7.25, AND CUTTERS UPWARD TO $8.25.

THE STOCKER AND FEEDER TRADE HAS BEEN CARRIED ON THROUGH THE WEEK ON PRACTICALLY AN UNCHANGED BASIS ON ALL CLASSES. A HEALTHY DEMAND WAS IN STORE FOR STEERS, BUT COWS AND HEIFERS RECEIVED A RATHER LIMITED CALL ON COUNTRY ACCOUNT. ASIDE FROM THE LOAD MENTIONED ABOVE, STEERS AVERAGING OVER 800# WERE RATHER LIMITED AT $11.75 TO $13.00, WHILE LIGHTER KINDS RANGED FROM $9.00 TO $12.75, WITH THE BULK $10.00 TO $11.50. MOST OF THE COWS CASHED FROM $8.25 TO $8.75, AND HEIFERS LARGELY $9.50 TO $10.50.

HOGS: A HOG RUN ESTIMATED AT ONLY 8,000 HEAD PROVED TO BE TOO SMALL TO SUPPLY THE EARLY DEMAND AND PRICES ADVANCED 25-30¢ FROM THE BEST TIME AT THE CLOSE OF THURSDAY. THE RUN LAST FRIDAY TOTALED 13,226 AND A YEAR AGO THIS DAY 9,900 WERE OFFERED. HOWEVER, SHIPPING AND BUTCHER DEMAND WAS NOT QUITE SUFFICIENT TO ABSORB ALL THE HOGS ON THIS BASIS THOUGH COMPARATIVELY FEW WERE LEFT AT MIDSESSION. A FEW LATE ARRIVALS REFLECTED A LOSS OF 5-10¢ FROM THE EARLY MARKET WITH ALL INTERESTS OPERATING AT THE CLOSE. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS SHARED THE ADVANCES WITH AN UPTURN OF MOSTLY 25¢. PACKING SOWS ADVANCED MOSTLY 25¢ BUT A SMALL PORTION OF THIS GAIN HAD BEEN LOST AT THE FINISH.

EARLY SALES COMPRISED BULK OF 160-260# WEIGHTS AT $11.75 TO $11.85. TOP PRICE WAS $11.90 PAID FOR AN OCCASIONAL LOAD OF CHOICE LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT DESCRIPTIONS. AT THE CLOSE SEVERAL LOADS OF DESIRABLE HOGS WITHIN THE ABOVE MENTIONED WEIGHT SPREAD CASHED AT $11.65 TO $11.80, OCCASIONAL LOTS OF LESS FINISHED KINDS DOWN TO $11.60 AND BELOW. A LOAD OF 310# BUTCHERS OF MEDIUM TO GOOD GRADE REALIZED $11.50. MAJORITY OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS TURNED AT $10.50 TO $11.50, A FEW OF THE BETTER ONE THIRTIES SELLING UP TO $10.75. BULK OF PIGS SCALING UNDER 130# REALIZED $9.00 TO $10.50, COMMON LIGHT PIGS BELOW THE LOWER FIGURE. MOST PACKING SOWS SOLD EARLY AT $10.25 TO $10.35, A FEW SELLING LATE AT $10.15.

SHEEP: SUPPLIES IN THE SHEEP-HOUSE TODAY WERE ESTIMATED AT ONLY 250 HEAD, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 1,242 LAST FRIDAY AND 1,781 CORRESPONDING SESSION A YEAR AGO. THIS COMPRISED A DOUBLE DECK OF CLIPPED LAMBS CARRYING AN END OF YEARLINGS. LATER IN THE DAY A LIBERAL OFFERING, MOSTLY YEARLINGS AND WETHERS, ARRIVED FROM A LOCAL FEEDLOT TO SWELL THE SALABLE SUPPLIES. NO GOOD TO CHOICE LAMBS WERE OFFERED BUT SALES OF OTHERS APPEARED FULLY 25¢ LOWER, SHEEP AND YEARLINGS BEING UNCHANGED. THE DOUBLE DECK OF LAMBS GRADED NO BETTER THAN GOOD, AVERAGED 79# AND REALIZED $15.50, A PART DECK OF MEDIUM GRADE 69# WEIGHTS SCORING $15.25. TWENTY FIVE HEAD OF 78# YEARLINGS CLEARED AT $13.50, 48 HEAD OF NEAR CHOICE 89# WEIGHTS MAKING $14.00. A HALF DECK OF 95# AGED WETHERS CASHED AT $10.50, WITH ABOUT AN EQUAL NUMBER OF 91# TWO-YEAR-OLD WETHERS AT $11.75. BETTER SHORN EWES ARE SALABLE AT $9.00 TO $10.00, ACCORDING TO WEIGHT.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS ACTIVE, FULLY STEADY; SPOTS STRONGER; HEIFERS SLOW, WEAK; OTHER CLASSES FULLY STEADY; FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.75 TO $14.15; THREE LOADS AROUND 1200# AT $14.15; MIXED YEARLINGS $14.40; LIGHT STEERS 1099# $14.45; FEW LOTS HEIFERS $12.25 TO $13.25; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00 TO $10.50; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.50 TO $8.25; MEDIUM BULLS $9.00 TO $9.50; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $16.00; FEW $16.50; FEW LOADS STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $12.50 TO $13.50.

HOGS: ACTIVE, 15-25¢ MOSTLY 25¢ HIGHER; LARGELY A PACKER MARKET; TOP $11.45 ON 220-240# BUTCHERS; BULK 180-340# AVERAGES $11.25 TO $11.40, LATTER PRICE PAID FOR ALL WEIGHTS; ODD LOTS 140-180# WEIGHTS $10.50 TO $11.40; PACKING SOWS $10.40 TO $10.65.

SHEEP: LAMBS FULLY 25¢ LOWER; OTHER CLASSES STEADY; BULK FED WOOLED LAMBS $16.00 TO $16.25; MOST SALES $16.25; FEW LOADS TO SHIPPERS $16.40 TO $16.75; TWO CARS FED CLIPPED LAMBS $15.25; SHORT TOP OF TWO CARS CALIFORNIA SPRING LAMBS $17.25; BALANCE TO FEEDER BUYERS AT $14.00; WOOLED EWES $10.50 DOWN; OTHER CLASSES NOT REPRESENTED.

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1:40 P. M.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET TO 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- Negligible supply fed steers and yearlings about steady; she stock, excepting heavy kosher cows and heifers, active and strong, spots higher; fully steady market on sausage bulls and vealers; sprinkling light steers and yearlings $12.75 to $13.50; best yearlings $14.40; most fat cows $9.25 to $10.50; cutters $6.50 to $8.00; weighty shipper sausage bulls $10.00 to $10.25; medium weights and light kinds $9.25 to $9.75, some light cutter kinds down to $8.50; few selected vealers $16.00 to $16.50, light kinds $14.50 to $15.50, scaling 94 to 120-lbs.; closing trade on stockers slow.

HOGS:- Fairly active to shippers and small packers, mostly 15 to 25¢ higher; top $11.80 paid for a number of loads of 170 to 220-lb. weights; bulk of good and choice 160 to 320-lb. averages $11.50 to $11.75, mostly $11.60 to $11.75; numerous loads of choice heavy butchers at $11.60 and $11.65; around 350-lb. weights at $11.45; bulk of better grade 130 to 150-lb. averages $11.00 to $11.50; strictly choice 150-lb. weights up to $11.70 and $11.75; pigs mostly $10.00 to $11.00, choice strong weights up to $11.40; packing sows largely $10.40 to $10.65, smooth sorts up to $10.85.

SHEEP:- Early sales limited to two doubles Colorado wooled lambs to yard traders at $17.00, around steady; packers bidding 25 to 50¢ lower, salesmen holding steady; sheep 25¢ lower; few good ewes $9.00 to $9.50; odd lot woolskins $10.50 to $11.00, thin kinds mostly $8.00 downward.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:-Killing classes cattle generally steady; several loads medium quality fed steers of light weight $12.25 to $12.85; short load good to choice yearling steers $14.00; part load fed heifers $13.75; odd lots butcher cows $9.00-$10.50; good to choice vealers mostly $12.00 to $15.00; fairly broad week-end clearance on stockers and feeders.

HOGS:- Fairly active, 10-20¢ higher than Thursday's average; top $11.40; bulk desirable 170 to 250-lbs. $11.25 to $11.40; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.45 to $11.25; 250 to 350-lbs. $11.00 to $11.30; packing sows $9.50 to $10.50; stock pigs $9.25 to $10.50.

SHEEP:- Extremely dull; market practically at a standstill; one load wooled lambs at $16.35, and one load Arizona springers at $17.85, around 15¢ lower; now bidding unevenly lower; no sheep sold.

			NAT'L. STK. YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)						
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$11.40-11.70	$11.35-11.75	$10.90-11.30	$10.90-11.45
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	11.40-11.80	11.40-11.80	11.15-11.40	11.00-11.45
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	11.25-11.80	11.25-11.80	11.15-11.40	10.75-11.45
Lt. Lts.	(130-150#)	Med-Ch	10.50-11.80	10.60-11.80	10.45-11.25	10.25-11.25
Packing sows, smooth and rough			9.90-10.40	10.25-10.85	9.40-10.35	10.25-10.75
Slaughter Pigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	9.00-10.75	9.75-11.40	9.00-10.50	----------
Fdr & Stkr. Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	8.75-10.75	----------	9.00-10.50	9.00-10.25
Av. Cost & Wt. Thurs. (Pigs Exc)			11.32-199#	11.43-243#	11.01-238#	11.09-256#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	----------	13.50-14.75	----------	----------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.85-14.50	14.25-14.80	13.50-14.25	13.50-14.50
		Good	13.00-13.85	13.50-14.25	12.85-13.50	12.75-13.50
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.85-14.75	14.25-14.90	13.50-14.35	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.25	12.85-13.75	13.00-13.75
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	14.00-15.00	14.35-15.00	13.75-14.75	14.00-14.75
		Good	13.50-14.25	13.90-14.35	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.00
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	12.40-13.50	12.50-13.75	11.75-13.00	12.25-13.25
		Common	9.75-12.40	10.50-12.50	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.25
Steers:	(Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)	Choice	14.25-15.00	14.50-15.00	14.00-14.75	14.00-14.75
		Good	13.50-14.25	13.75-14.50	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.00
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	14.00-14.90	14.25-14.85	13.25-14.25	13.25-14.25
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.00-14.25	12.00-13.50	12.25-13.25
		Com-Med	8.75-13.00	9.50-13.00	9.00-12.25	9.00-12.25
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	11.75-14.00	12.25-14.50	12.00-13.75	11.50-13.75
		Good	10.75-13.50	11.25-14.00	10.75-13.25	10.75-13.00
		Medium	9.25-12.50	10.00-13.00	9.25-12.00	9.25-12.25
Cows:		Choice	11.00-12.00	11.00-12.00	10.50-11.50	10.75-11.75
		Good	10.00-11.00	9.75-11.00	9.75-10.50	9.50-10.75
		Com-Med	8.25-10.00	8.25- 9.75	8.00- 9.75	8.25- 9.50
		Low Cut-Cut	6.00- 8.25	6.50- 8.25	5.75- 8.00	6.25- 8.25
Bulls:	(Ylg. Exc. Beef.)	Gd-Ch	10.00-10.75	10.25-11.50	9.25-10.25	9.50-10.75
		Cut-Med	7.50-10.00	8.50-10.25	7.50- 9.25	7.75- 9.50
Calves:	(500# dn)	Med-Ch	10.00-13.00	10.50-13.50	9.50-12.50	10.50-13.50
		Cull-Com	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.50	6.50- 9.50	6.50-10.50
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	15.50-17.00	14.50-16.50	12.00-16.00	13.00-16.50
		Medium	13.00-15.50	11.00-14.50	9.50-12.00	11.50-13.00
		Cull-Com	6.50-13.00	8.00-11.00	6.00- 9.50	6.00-11.50
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.75-13.25	12.50-13.50	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.50
		Com-Med	9.25-11.75	10.00-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.75-12.00
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.75-13.25	12.50-13.50	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.25
		Com-Med	9.00-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	11.00-12.00	10.25-11.75	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		Com-Med	8.50-11.00	9.25-10.25	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.50- 9.25	8.50- 9.00	8.25- 9.25	8.00- 9.00
		Com-Med	7.50- 8.50	8.00- 8.50	7.25- 8.25	6.75- 8.00
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	----------	----------	12.25-14.50	11.75-14.25
		Medium	----------	----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
Spring Lambs:		Gd-Ch	----------	----------	17.00-18.25	----------
		Medium	----------	----------	15.75-17.00	----------
		Cull-Com	----------	----------	13.00-15.75	----------
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	15.25-16.25	15.10-16.00	14.50-15.25	15.00-15.50
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	15.25-16.25	14.85-16.00	14.25-15.15	14.75-15.50
	(92# dn)	Medium	14.25-15.25	14.50-15.10	13.75-14.50	14.25-15.00
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	----------	14.00-15.75	13.75-15.00	14.00-15.25
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	10.25-14.25	11.00-14.50	10.00-13.75	11.00-14.50
Yearling Wethers	(110# dn)	Med-Ch	10.00-14.00	10.25-14.25	10.00-14.00	10.00-13.75
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	8.25-10.00	8.25-10.25	7.75- 9.50	8.00- 9.50
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	7.75- 9.75	8.00-10.00	7.50- 9.25	7.75- 9.25
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	3.50- 8.25	3.00- 8.25	2.50- 7.75	2.50- 8.00

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59-61 EXCHANGE BUILDING. TELEPHONE-BRIDGE 2660
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS

STOCK MARKET - SATURDAY - APRIL 27, 1929

RECEIPTS

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS (ESTIMATE)	**800	**100	4,500	- - -
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS TOTAL THIS WK. (APPRO.)	9,500	3,100	72,400	3,900
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS TOTAL LAST WEEK	11,721	9,229	78,625	7,295
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS TOTAL SAME WK. LAST YR.	11,743	7,549	71,343	6,287
11 MARKET TOTAL THIS WEEK	145,425	54,375	499,450	236,225
11 MARKET TOTAL LAST WEEK	161,035	55,200	504,463	268,825
11 MARKET TOTAL SAME WEEK LAST YEAR	167,850	[illegible]5,530	503,[illegible]	201,775

**RUN INCLUDES 150 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 700 THROUGH AND 300 DIRECT; CHICAGO 4,000; KANSAS CITY 800; OMAHA 2,200; ST. JOSEPH NONE; SIOUX CITY 1,200; ST. PAUL 100.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-FRIDAY-APR. 26, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	428	406	9,763	957
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	363	- -	6,456	- -
PACKER PURCHASES	479	581	6,032	847

LIVESTOCK MARKET QUOTATIONS AND CONDITIONS-SATURDAY-APR. 27, 1929

HOGS: (SOFT OR OILY HOGS & ROASTING PIGS EXC)	NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A.M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
HVY. WT. (250-350#) MED-CH	$11.40-11.70	$11.35-11.70	$10.80-11.30	$10.75-11.30
MED. WT. (200-250#) MED-CH	11.40-11.80	11.40-11.75	11.15-11.35	10.85-11.30
LT. WT. (160-200#) MED-CH	11.25-11.80	11.25-11.75	11.15-11.35	10.50-11.30
LT. LTS. (130-160#) MED-CH	10.50-11.75	10.60-11.70	10.45-11.25	10.00-11.15
PACKING SOWS SMOOTH&ROUGH	9.80-10.30	10.25-10.35	9.40-10.25	10.00-10.50
SLTR. PIGS (90-130#) MED-CH	9.00-10.75	9.75-11.40	9.00-10.50	----------
FDR&STKR PIGS 70-130 MED-CH	8.75-10.75	----------	9.00-10.50	9.00-10.00
AV. COST & WT. FRI. (PIGS EX)	11.52-205#	11.59-230#	11.13-231#	11.33-257#

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-SATURDAY-APRIL 27, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 10:30 A. M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE FOR THE WEEK APPROXIMATED 9,500 HEAD, AS COMPARED WITH 11,721 FOR THE PREVIOUS WEEK, AND 11,743 THE CORRESPONDING WEEK A YEAR AGO.

TO SAY THE LEAST THE CATTLE DIVISION HAS ENJOYED A HEALTHY TRADE DURING THE PAST WEEK, EVEN IN SPITE OF THE UNCERTAINTIES WHICH ARE CONTINUALLY CROPPING OUT IN THE EASTERN MEAT TRADE, BOTH AS TO PRICES AND DEMAND. ALTHOUGH A FEW ATTEMPTS WERE MADE BY SOME INTERESTS TO CHEAPEN COSTS ON STEERS, NOTHING COULD BE ACCOMPLISHED BECAUSE OF THE LIGHT SUPPLIES, AND THEY EITHER HAD TO SACRIFICE ON NUMBERS OR PAY THE PREVAILING STEADY TO STRONG TREND. BETTER GRADE LIGHT KINDS STRENGTHENED UNTIL THEY REACHED A NEW HIGH LEVEL FOR THE SEASON. THIS ALSO APPLIED TO MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS; ALL GRADES HERE SHOWING A FEW MINOR UPTURNS, BUT AT MID-WEEK ALL BUT THE CHOICE LIGHT KINDS WEAKENED, WITH SOME DOWNTURNS IN VALUES, AND LOST PRACTICALLY ALL OF THE PREVIOUS GAINS. TWO LOADS OF STRICTLY CHOICE HEIFERS AVERAGING 542 AND 622# FEATURED THE WEEK'S TRADE BY RECORDING $14.90 AND $15.00 RESPECTIVELY. BUTCHER COWS AND MEDIUM BULLS, UNDER A GOOD DEMAND FROM ALL INTEREST, ALSO ESTABLISHED NEW HIGH TOPS, THE FORMER REACHING $12.00 AND THE LATTER $10.00. THE LOW CUTTER AND CUTTER MARKET, UNSUPPORTED BY OUTSIDE ORDERS TOWARD THE CLOSE OF THE WEEK, FELT THE EFFECTS OF THE WEAKNESS AND LOST SOME GROUND AT LEAST TEMPORARILY. PRICES ON VEALERS WHICH TOOK A SHARP TUMBLE ON MONDAY, RECOVERED IN FULL VERY SHORTLY AND ARE CLOSING CONSIDERABLY HIGHER.

COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO, STEERS, MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS ARE SELLING STEADY TO STRONG, WITH SPOTS HIGHER ON BEST KINDS, BUTCHER COWS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; LOW CUTTERS AND CUTTERS STEADY TO WEAK, SPOTS LOWER; MEDIUM BULLS 25-50¢ HIGHER; VEALERS 75¢ HIGHER; ALL CLASSES STOCKERS AND FEEDERS ABOUT STEADY. TOPS FOR WEEK: 622# HEIFERS $15.00; 962# YEARLING STEERS, 715# MIXED YEARLINGS AND 1119# STEERS $14.50. BULKS FOR WEEK: STEERS $12.00 TO $14.00; FAT MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS $13.50 TO $14.00; MEDIUM KINDS $12.00 TO $13.00; COWS $9.00 TO $10.50; LOW CUTTERS $6.50 TO $7.25; STOCKER AND FEEDER STEERS $10.00 TO $11.25; FEEDING COWS $6.25 TO $8.75; FEEDING HEIFERS $8.50 TO $10.50; GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS AT CLOSE $17.00.

HOGS: HOG SUPPLIES WERE ABOUT AN AVERAGE SATURDAY RUN, ESTIMATE CALLING FOR 4,500 HEAD, INCLUDING 1,000 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT, AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 4,993 LAST SATURDAY AND 4,790 A YEAR AGO. TRADE OPENED TO SHIPPERS AND BUTCHERS ABOUT IN LINE WITH CLOSING SALES YESTERDAY OR 5-10¢ BELOW THE BEST TIME. EARLY ROUNDS WERE RATHER SLOW BUT PACKERS ENTERED LATER AND SOME ACTIVITY DEVELOPED WITH A FAIR CLEARANCE EFFECTED. PIGS FOUND SOME ACTION THOUGH A WEAK UNDERTONE WAS NOTED WITH OCCASIONAL SALES A LITTLE LOWER. RECEIPTS FOR THE WEEK TOTALED APPROXIMATELY 72,400, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 78,625 LAST WEEK AND 71,343 A YEAR AGO.

IT WAS GENERALLY AN $11.70 TO $11.80 MARKET ON 160-250# WEIGHTS, ALL INTERESTS PAYING THESE FIGURES. OCCASIONAL LOTS OF WEIGHTIER HOGS OR LIGHT HOGS LACKING IN QUALITY CASHED DOWN TO $11.65 AND BELOW, WITH ABOUT A HALF LOAD OF MEDIUM TO GOOD 300# WEIGHTS SCORING $11.45. MAJORITY OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS MOVED AT $10.50 TO $11.50. PIGS SCALING 130# DOWN CASHED AT $8.75 TO $10.50, BEST ONE THIRTIES UP TO AROUND $10.75. PACKING SOWS SOLD MOSTLY AT $10.15 TO $10.25, A FEW ROUGH DESCRIPTIONS DOWN TO $10.10. COMPARED WITH THE CLOSE OF LAST WEEK GENERAL PRICES HAVE SCORED A NET GAIN OF 15 TO 20¢.

SHEEP: RECEIPTS OF SHEEP AND LAMBS THIS WEEK TOTALED APPROXIMATELY 3,900, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 7,285 LAST WEEK AND 6,287 CORRESPONDING WEEK LAST YEAR. SOME UNEVENNESS WAS REGISTERED IN THE LAMB SECTION WITH PRICES REACHING FULLY UP TO THE BEST TIME OF THE YEAR THOUGH CLOSING QUOTATIONS ARE 25¢ UNDER THAT OF A WEEK AGO. SPRING LAMB MARKETINGS INCREASED BUT SALES WERE TOO UNEVEN TO DEFINITELY ESTABLISH QUOTATIONS. FAT SHEEP HELD STEADY THROUGHOUT EXCEPT THAT WEIGHTIER EWES SUFFERED SOME DISCRIMINATION LATE IN THE WEEK AND RECORDED UNEVEN DECLINES. NOT ENOUGH WOOLED STOCK OF ANY CLASS WAS OFFERED TO QUOTE.

CITY BUTCHERS PAID $16.50 FOR A DECK OF CHOICE 84# CLIPPED LAMBS, HIGHEST THIS SEASON FOR A LOAD LOT. BULK OF LAMBS SOLD ON ACCOUNT OF PACKERS AT $15.50 TO $16.00 ALL WEEK, MEDIUM GRADES DOWN TO $15.25. THREE DECKS OF 85# WEIGHTS SOLD MONDAY AT $15.75. CULLS WERE REMOVED AT $11.00 TO $13.00. A FEW PART DECKS OF CLIPPED YEARLINGS CASHED AT $13.50 TO $14.00, WITH TWO-YEAR-OLD WETHERS AT $11.75 TO $12.00, AND AGED WETHERS AT $10.50 TO $11.00. DESIRABLE CLIPPED EWES SOLD ALL WEEK AT $9.00 TO $10.00, THE PRICE VARYING ACCORDING TO WEIGHT, QUALITY AND CONDITION.

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TELEGRAPHIC REPORTS FROM OTHER MARKETS

SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 1929.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO: FED STEERS MOSTLY STEADY; SOME STRENGTH ON THE CHOICE GRADES; LIGHT YEARLINGS AND FED HEIFERS A BIG 25¢ HIGHER; SLAUGHTER COWS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; BULLS 15 TO 25¢ HIGHER; VEALERS AND CALVES STEADY TO 50¢ HIGHER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; WEEK'S TOPS: MIXED YEARLINGS $14.75; MEDIUM WEIGHT STEERS AND YEARLING HEIFERS $14.25; HEAVY STEERS $14.10; BULK FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.75 TO $14.25; BUTCHER COWS $9.00 TO $10.50, ONE CHOICE LOAD $11.50; GOOD TO CHOICE VEALERS $12.00 TO $15.00, FEW $16.00; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $11.75 TO $14.00; FEW LIGHT WEIGHT STOCKERS $14.25 TO $14.50.

HOGS:- GENERALLY STEADY WITH FRIDAY'S AVERAGE; TOP $11.35 FOR CHOICE 190 TO 240-LB. AVERAGES TO BOTH SHIPPERS AND PACKERS; BULK DESIRABLE 160 TO 300-LBS. $11.20 TO $11.35; PACKING SOWS AND PIGS NOMINALLY STEADY.

SHEEP:- COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO: SPRING LAMBS $1.50 TO $1.75 LOWER; WOOLED LAMBS AROUND $1.00 LOWER; CLIPPERS 50¢ TO 75¢ OFF; WEEK'S TOPS: SPRINGERS $18.90; WOOLSKINS $16.85; CLIPPERS $15.50; BULK SPRINGERS $18.00 TO $18.75; WOOLED LAMBS $16.25 TO $16.75; CLIPPERS $14.75 TO $15.25; MATURE CLASSES 75¢ TO $1.00 LOWER; TWO YEAR OLD SHORN WETHERS $12.50 TO $12.85; SHORN EWES $9.15 TO $10.00.

CHICAGOMARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- COMPARED WEEK AGO: STRICTLY GOOD AND CHOICE FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS STRONG, STEADY; INSTANCES HIGHER ON LONG FED WEIGHTY OFFERINGS; INBETWEEN GRADE FED STEERS WEAK TO 25¢ OFF; MEDIUM LIGHT YEARLINGS 25 TO 50¢ LOWER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS ABOUT STEADY; SHE STOCK VERY UNEVEN, MOSTLY 25 TO 50¢ LOWER, WITH HEAVY KOSHER COWS AND HEAVY HEIFERS OFF MORE; BULLS STEADY AND LIGHT VEALERS $1.00 HIGHER. ABRIDGED SHIPPER DEMAND DUE LARGELY TO JEWISH HOLIDAYS, WHICH ALSO DEPRESSED HEAVY COWS AND HEIFERS; EXTREME TOP FED STEERS $14.95; YEARLINGS $14.85, WITH LIGHT HEIFER YEARLINGS AT THAT PRICE; MOST FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $13.00 TO $14.50, AVERAGE PRICE; SLAUGHTER STEERS AND YEARLINGS LOCALLY BEING APPROXIMATELY $13.65; MOST STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $12.00 TO $13.25; MEATY FEEDERS UP TO $13.70.

HOGS:- HARDLY ENOUGH HOGS ON SALES TO TEST PRICES; MOSTLY STEADY ON LIMITED TRADING; TOP $11.75 PAID FOR AN OUTSTANDING LOAD OF AROUND 200-LB. WEIGHTS; BULK OF BETTER GRADE HOGS SCALING FROM 170 TO 280-LBS. $11.50 TO $11.70; OCCASIONAL LOADS AND ODD LOTS OF MEDIUM TO GOOD QUALITY LIGHT HOGS AND HEAVY BUTCHERS CARRYING A FEW PACKING SOWS AT $11.40 AND $11.45; ODD LOTS OF GOOD TO CHOICE 130 TO 150-LB. AVERAGES FROM $11.00 TO $11.50; AN OCCASIONAL SALE OF PACKING SOWS AT $10.40; LIGHT COMMON SOWS AT $9.50; SHIPPERS TOOK 500; ESTIMATED HOLDOVER 2,000.

SHEEP:- FOR WEEK: SIXTY DOUBLES FROM FEEDING STATIONS; FORTY THOUSAND DIRECTS INCLUDING A LIBERAL PERCENTAGE FROM CALIFORNIA; CONSISTENTLY LOWER MARKETS AFTER A SLIGHT UPTURN ON OPENING DAYS; FAT LAMBS CLOSING MOSTLY $1.00 UNDER LAST WEEK'S HIGH TIME; SHEEP AROUND 50¢ LOWER; TOPS FOR WEEK: CLIPPED LAMBS $16.35; WOOLSKINS $17.25; FAT CLIPPED EWES $10.25; WOOLSKINS $11.75; BULKS FOR WEEK: FAT CLIPPED LAMBS $15.00 TO $15.75; WOOLSKINS $16.25 TO $17.00; FAT CLIPPED EWES $8.00 TO $10.00; WOOLED EWES $9.00 TO $11.00; FEW DECKS OF SHEARING LAMBS $15.15 TO $16.60; ODD LOTS SPRING LAMBS $18.00 TO $18.50.

ST. PAUL MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- COMPARED WEEK AGO: YEARLINGS, FAT SHE STOCK WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; MATURED STEERS 25¢, SPOTS 50¢ LOWER; BULLS 25 TO 50¢ HIGHER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; VEALERS 50¢ TO $1.00 HIGHER; WEEK'S PRICES: TOP YEARLINGS $14.00; HEAVY STEERS $13.85; MEDIUM WEIGHTS $13.60; BULK ALL WEIGHTS $12.25 TO $13.50; FAT COWS $8.25 TO $9.75; HEIFERS $9.75 TO $11.50; BULLS AT CLOSE $9.25 TO $9.50, OUTSTANDING KINDS TO $9.75; CUTTERS $6.25 TO $7.50; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS, CHOICE HALF-FAT OFFERINGS TO $13.40, THIN KINDS LARGELY $10.25 TO $11.50; VEALERS AT CLOSE, PRACTICAL RANGE, $14.50 TO $16.50, BULKS $15.00 TO $15.50.

HOGS:- RUN VERY LIGHT; SCATTERING OF LIGHTS AND BUTCHERS $11.40 TO $11.50, AROUND STEADY WITH FRIDAY'S GENERAL TRADE; TOP $11.50; SOWS $10.00 TO $10.50; FEW PIGS $11.50.

SHEEP:- FOR WEEK: FAT CLIPPED LAMBS 75¢ LOWER; CLIPPED EWES 50¢ LOWER; BULK AND TOP CLIPPED LAMBS AT CLOSE $15.75; BULK FAT CLIPPED EWES $9.00 TO $9.50; MEDIUM TO GOOD WOOLED LAMBS $15.50 TO $16.00; BULK FAT WOOLED EWES $9.50 TO $10.25.

OMAHA MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- COMPARED WITH WEEK AGO: FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER, MOSTLY ABOUT STEADY; HEIFERS WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; COWS 25¢ HIGHER; BULLS 25¢ HIGHER; VEALS AND CALVES FULLY 50¢ HIGHER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS STRONG; BULKS FOR WEEK: FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $13.00 TO $14.00; WEIGHTY STEERS $14.15; MIXED YEARLINGS $14.40; MEDIUM WEIGHTS 1287-LBS. $14.60; HEIFERS $12.00 TO $13.65, FEW LOADS $13.75 TO $14.10; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00 TO $10.50; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.50 TO $8.25; MEDIUM BULLS $8.75 TO $9.50; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $16.00, FEW $16.50; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $12.25 TO $13.50, FEW LOADS $13.75 TO $14.00.

HOGS:- MOSTLY 15 TO 20¢ LOWER; TOP $11.30 ON 240 TO 270-LB. BUTCHERS; BULK 180 TO 340-LB. WEIGHTS $11.15 TO $11.25; ODD LOTS 150 TO 180-LB. SELECTIONS $10.50 TO $11.15; PACKING SOWS $10.25 TO $10.40.

SHEEP:- COMPARED WITH WEEK AGO: SLAUGHTER LAMBS 75¢ TO $1.00 LOWER; SHEEP 50¢ LOWER; CLOSING BULKS FOLLOW: FED WOOLED LAMBS $16.00 TO $16.25, TOP $16.75; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $15.25; WOOLED EWES $10.00 TO $10.50; SHORN EWES $8.75 TO $9.25; 1,200 DIRECTS.

FT. WORTH MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- FOR THE WEEK: MOST CLASSES KILLING CATTLE FULLY STEADY; SLAUGHTER CALVES ABOUT 25¢ HIGHER; STOCK STEERS AND YEARLINGS 25 TO 50¢ LOWER; WEEK'S TOPS: SLAUGHTER STEERS $13.60; FAT YEARLINGS $14.50; CARLOT TOP FAT COWS $9.75; SMALL LOTS UP TO $10.00 AND ABOVE; HEAVY BULLS $9.25; HEAVY SLAUGHTER CALVES $12.50; LIGHT VEALS $14.50; PRACTICAL TOP STOCK YEARLINGS $13.00; BULKS: GRASS SLAUGHTER STEERS $11.00 TO $11.50; BETTER GRADE FAT YEARLINGS $12.85 TO $13.75; FAT COWS $8.50 TO $9.50; CUTTERS AND LOW CUTTERS $5.50 TO $6.50; WEIGHTY BULLS $8.35 TO $8.85; HEAVY SLAUGHTER CALVES $11.00 TO $12.00; STOCK STEERS AND YEARLINGS $11.00 TO $12.50.

HOGS:- STEADY TO STRONG, QUALITY CONSIDERED; RAIL TOP $10.90 PAID FOR 198-LB. AVERAGES; TWO LOADS MEDIUM TO GOOD LIGHT BUTCHERS AT $10.50 AND $10.75; TRUCK TOP $10.30; BULK 175 TO 250-LB. TRUCK HOGS $10.10 TO $10.30; PACKING SOWS, STEADY, MOSTLY $8.75 TO $9.25.

SHEEP:- FOR WEEK: KILLING CLASSES $1.00 OR MORE LOWER; FEEDER LAMBS AND YEARLINGS $1.00 TO $1.25 LOWER; FEEDER WETHERS WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; BULK SPRING LAMBS $15.00 TO $15.50; WEEK'S TOP SPRING LAMBS $16.25; CLOSING BULK SHORN FAT LAMBS $13.00 TO $13.50; FEW HEAD EARLY IN WEEK UP TO $14.50; MIXED SHORN FAT LAMBS AND YEARLINGS $12.50 TO $13.25; WEEK'S TOP TWO YEAR OLD FAT WETHERS $11.50 AND AGED WETHERS $10.25; CLOSING BULK: SHORN FAT WETHERS, MIXED AGES $9.00 TO $10.00; SHORN FEEDER LAMBS $10.00 TO $11.25, INCLUDING FEEDER LAMBS AND YEARLINGS AT $10.00; FEEDER WETHERS $6.00 TO $6.50; HALF-FAT FEEDER WETHERS UP TO $8.50.

"HOGS SLUAGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL MEAT INSPECTION"

WEEKS ENDING FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 1929, AND APRIL 27, 1928.

	1929	1928
INDINAPOLIS	20,785	16,175
CHICAGO	118,205	93,124
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS (INC. ST. LOUIS)	54,508	47,339
NEW YORK (INC. JERSEY CITY)	33,270	38,072
OMAHA	51,504	31,784
KANSAS CITY	55,267	38,638
SO. ST. PAUL	41,300	39,509
SIOUX CITY	*42,126	*24,095
ST. JOSEPH	20,430	13,961

*NOTE : - FIGURES AT SIOUX CITY FOR CALENDAY WEEK.

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-MONDAY-APRIL 29, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**2,500	**2,500	20,000	1,800
CHICAGO	17,000	5,000	60,000	15,000
KANSAS CITY	12,000	1,200	16,000	11,000
OMAHA	11,000	500	18,000	14,000
ST. JOSEPH	4,000	800	11,000	8,000
ST. PAUL	4,500	2,500	11,000	500
SIOUX CITY	5,000	300	11,500	1,500
CINCINNATI	1,350	325	4,300	50
INDIANAPOLIS	1,100	500	6,000	500
PITTSBURG	850	1,450	5,000	4,700
BUFFALO	1,625	1,900	8,800	6,600
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	60,925	16,975	171,600	63,650
ONE WEEK AGO	48,050	13,375	93,950	63,975
ONE YEAR AGO	68,300	14,950	133,820	51,650

**RUN INCLUDES 150 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 1,000 THROUGH AND 1,000 DIRECT; CHICAGO 30,000; KANSAS CITY 2,500; OMAHA 5,700; ST. JOSEPH 3,200; SIOUX CITY 900; ST. PAUL 1,700.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-SATURDAY-APR. 27, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	220	51	5,406	- - -
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	112	1	3,546	- - -
PACKER PURCHASES	34	66	2,333	- - -

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-MONDAY-APRIL 29, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P.M)

CATTLE: CATTLE RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 2,500 THIS MORNING, AS AGAINST ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 1,783 LAST MONDAY, AND A TOTAL OF 3,901 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

IT WAS ALMOST ENTIRELY A STEER RUN HERE TODAY AND AS A FORERUNNER OF THE GRASS CATTLE SEASON THE SUPPLY OF KILLER STEERS WAS AUGMENTED BY 18 LOADS OF HORNED, TEXAS GRASSERS. THESE DISPLAYED A FEW BRAHMAN CHARACTERISTICS AND DREW CONSIDERABLE ATTENTION FROM PACKER BUYERS. ON THE NATIVE SIDE QUALITY AND CONDITION WERE ONLY ORDINARY, WITH A SIZABLE SHOWING OF PLAIN YELLOW-HAMMER KINDS AND THE BALANCE MOSTLY MEDIUM GRADE MATERIAL OF BETTER QUALITY AND RUNNING QUITE LARGELY TO LIGHTWEIGHTS. FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS MOVED RATHER SLOWLY AND THE PRICE TREND WAS UNEVENLY STEADY TO 10-15¢ LOWER FOR THE MOST PART. THE VEALER MARKET TOOK THE TOBOGGAN FOR A SHARP DOWNWARD SLIDE OF 75¢ COMPARED WITH FRIDAY. OUTSIDE OF A FEW LOADS OF COWS, OTHER CLASSES WERE IN EXCEPTIONALLY LIGHT SUPPLY AND SOLD AT MOSTLY UNCHANGED TERMS.

AMONG THE BETTER GRADE STEERS OFFERED WERE TWO LOADS, THE ONE BEING 903# YEARLINGS AND THE OTHER 1103# AVERAGES, WHICH TIED FOR THE DAY'S TOP AT $14.15. TWO CARS OF 1093# AVERAGES WERE SUFFICIENTLY WELL FINISHED TO COMMAND THE $14.00 MONEY, WITH THE BULK OF ALL STEERS $12.50 TO $13.40, SEVERAL CARS OF YELLOW-HAMMERS DOWNWARD TO $12.00 OR BELOW. THE ABOVE MENTIONED TEXAS GRASS STEERS AVERAGED AROUND 1175# AND CASHED AT THE ONE PRICE OF $11.65. A FEW LOTS OF MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS WERE CONFINED LARGELY TO THE $12.00 TO $14.00 LIMITS, WHILE MOST COWS TURNED AT $9.00 TO $10.50, THE LATTER PRICE TAKING A STRAIGHT CARLOAD. LOW CUTTERS CLEARED CHIEFLY FROM $6.25 TO $7.25, WITH CUTTERS UPWARD TO $8.25 OR ABOVE. MEDIUM BULLS AT $9.90 WERE VERY LIMITED, OTHERS SELLING DOWNWARD ACCORDING TO CONDITION. GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WENT ALMOST ENTIRELY ON PACKER ACCOUNT AT $16.25 FOR THE TOP AND BULK OF SUCH KINDS.

HOGS: HOG RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 20,000 HEAD, THE LARGEST ONE-DAY RUN SINCE JANUARY 21. THIS FIGURE INCLUDED 2,000 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT. ACTUAL SUPPLIES LAST MONDAY TOTALED 10,778 AND A YEAR AGO 16,228. TOTAL AT ELEVEN MARKETS EXCEEDED LAST MONDAY'S TOTAL BY 70%. TRADE OPENED MOSTLY 25¢ LOWER THAN SATURDAY WITH CONSIDERABLE ACTIVITY TO SHIPPERS AND BUTCHERS, THE FORMER INTERESTS TAKING MOST OF THE BETTER GRADE HOGS ON THIS BASIS. SOME PACKERS ALSO MADE MODERATE PURCHASES AT THESE PRICES. WITH IMMEDIATE ORDERS FILLED TRADE SLOWED UP AND REMAINDER OF HOGS WERE FORCED TO SELL AT A FURTHER DISCOUNT OF AROUND 10¢. DESPITE THE LARGE SUPPLIES A FAIR CLEARANCE WAS EFFECTED WITH ALL INTERESTS BUYING AT THE CLOSE. PIGS, LIGHT LIGHTS AND PACKING SOWS SHARED THE DECLINES TO THE EXTENT OF 25¢.

BULK OF ALL HOGS SOLD AT $11.40 TO $11.50 FOR 160-300# WEIGHTS, MOST OF THE WEIGHTIER DESCRIPTIONS SELLING AROUND THE LOWER FIGURE. TOP WAS $11.55 PAID EARLY FOR SEVERAL LOADS OF CHOICE LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT HOGS. MOST LATE SALES OF 160-300 POUNDERS WERE MADE AT $11.40, NOTHING SELLING ABOVE THIS FIGURE AT THE EXTREME CLOSE THOUGH A FEW CHOICE LIGHT HOGS SOLD FAIRLY LATE AT $11.45. A LOAD OF MIXED WEIGHTS CARRYING AN END OF EXTREME HEAVY HOGS EARNED $11.35 AND A STRAIGHT LOAD OF 340# BUTCHERS SCORED $11.30, ODD LOTS LOWER. MAJORITY OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS CASHED AT $10.25 TO $11.00, ACCORDING TO WEIGHT WITH MOST PIGS SCALING 130# DOWN AT $8.75 TO $10.25, OCCASIONAL LOTS OF LOWER GRADES AT STILL LOWER FIGURES. BULK OF PACKING SOWS CASHED AT $10.00.

SHEEP: INCREASING RECEIPTS ASSISTED BUYERS IN THE SHEEP HOUSE TO ENFORCE QUITE SHARP PRICE REDUCTIONS ON ALL CLASSES, WITH DECIDEDLY LOWER TRENDS AT OTHER POINTS ANOTHER BEARISH FACTOR. LAMB PRICES WERE REDUCED 25 TO MOSTLY 50¢ WITH SOME SALES APPEARING ON PAPER TO HAVE LOST EVEN MORE. SHEEP WERE IN LIGHT SUPPLY BUT DEMAND WAS VERY NARROW AND MOST PRICES WERE REDUCED $1.00 FROM THE QUOTATIONS OF LAST WEEK. THE RUN WAS ESTIMATED AT 1,800, MAJORITY OF WHICH WERE ON SALE, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL SUPPLIES OF 1,228 LAST MONDAY AND 1,034 A YEAR AGO. CITY BUTCHERS PAID $15.50 FOR A LOAD OF NEAR CHOICE 84# CLIPPED LAMBS, THIS BEING THE DAY'S HIGH. PACKERS PURCHASED THEIR CONTINGENT AT $15.00 TO $15.25, MAJORITY BEING SOMEWHAT LACKING IN QUALITY AND SELLING AT THE LOWER FIGURE, ABOUT EIGHT DECKS SCALING 70-73# AT THIS PRICE. A DOUBLE DECK OF 80# WEIGHTS SCORED $15.25. CULLS ARE CONSIDERED SALABLE AROUND $10.50 TO $12.50. A DECK OF 70# SHORN YEARLINGS EARNED $13.25. MAJORITY OF FAT EWES SOLD FROM $9.00 DOWNWARD ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY. NOT ENOUGH SPRING LAMBS WERE OFFERED TO ESTABLISH QUOTATIONS, A FEW LOTS EARNING $17.00 TO $19.00.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: FED STEERS & YLGS. STEADY 10-15¢ LOWER; MEDIUM TO GOOD STEERS WITH WEIGHT SHOWING DECLINE; HEIFERS SLOW, STEADY TO WEAK; COWS & BULLS STEADY; VEALS WEAK TO $1.00 LOWER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS ABOUT STEADY; FED STEERS & YLGS. $13.00-14.00; SEVERAL LOADS LIGHT STEERS & MED. WGTS. $14.10-14.25, SOME HELD HIGHER; PART LOADS YLGS. $14.40 AND $14.70; HEIFERS $12.00-13.75; PART LOAD $14.00; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00 TO $10.50; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.50-8.25; MEDIUM BULLS $9.00-9.50; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $15.00; ODD HEAD TO INDEPENDENTS UP TO $15.50; FEW STOCKERS & FEEDERS $12.[illegible]-13.25.

HOGS: SLOW, 25-30¢ LOWER; TOP $11.05 ON 225-240# BUTCHERS; BULK 180-240# $10.85 TO $11.00; SHIPPERS BUYING CHOICE BUTCHERS 260# DOWN FREELY AT $11.00; ODD LOTS 140-180# SELECTIONS $10.00-10.90; FEEDER PIGS SCARCE; PACKING SOWS $10.00-10.15; SMOOTH GRADES UP TO $10.25.

SHEEP: ALL CLASSES 25-50¢ LOWER; BULK FED WOOLED LAMBS $15.75; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $15.00; CALIFORNIA SPRING LAMBS $17.00-17.50; FEEDER END $14.50; WOOLED EWES $10.25 DOWN; SHORN EWES $9.00 DOWN; SHEARING LAMBS $15.90.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, MONDAY, APRIL 29, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

Cattle:- Fed steers rather slow, mostly steady; yearlings, especially light yearlings, moderately active, fully steady; early top light steers on long yearling order $14.90, some held higher; best weighty offerings early $14.75, with $14.90 bid on medium weights; best action on strictly good and choice and common and medium grades, all weights, inbetween grade offerings getting lower bids; she stock very scarce and firm; bulls strong to 25¢, mostly 10 to 15¢ higher; vealers mostly 50¢ lower; stockers and feeders scarce, active and firm; weighty sausage bulls $10.00 to $10.40; prospects $13.50 to $14.50 on light vealers with selected shippers up to $16.50.

Hogs:- Mostly 10 to 20¢ lower than Friday's average, and Saturday; all interests buying; practical top $11.65 paid for a number of loads of 170 to 215-lb. weights; bulk of better grade 160 to 230-lb. averages $11.45 to $11.60; 240 to 300-lb. averages $11.35 to $11.55; little done on heavier averages; $11.15 to $11.25 bid on an occasional load of 320 to 400-lb. weights; bulk of good and choice 130 to 150-lb. averages $10.75 to $11.50; pigs mostly $10.00 to $11.00; bulk packing sows $10.20 to $10.50.

Sheep:- Very slow; scattered sales shorn lambs and aged sheep weak to 25¢ lower; talking 25¢ or more lower on wooled lambs, with sharpest decline on plainer grades; few loads good to choice shorn lambs $15.40 to $15.65, few throwouts $13.00 to $13.25; few choice ewes $11.00, throwouts $6.50 down; medium to good California spring lambs unsold; feeding and shearing lambs nominal; few light natives on specially account upward to $25.00.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

Cattle:- Fed steers and yearlings opening slow, few sales about steady; waterfills liberal; light mixed yearlings and she stock slow, steady to 15¢ lower; bulls fully steady; vealers steady to 50¢ lower; weighty calves steady; stockers and feeders fairly active, mostly steady; bulk fed steers eligible to sell around $12.75 to $14.00; choice yearling steers held upward to $14.75; several loads light yearlings $14.00 to $14.25; yearling heifers $14.00; bulk butcher cows $9.00 to $10.25, odd lots upward to $11.00 and above; all cutters $6.00 to $8.00; medium bulls $9.00 to $9.25; good to choice beef bulls $9.50 to $10.25; vealers mostly $15.00 down; bulk stockers and feeders $11.75 to $13.75; few loads choice white faced stockers $13.90 to $14.40.

Hogs:- Slow, uneven, 15 to 25¢ lower than Saturday's average to shippers; big packers inactive; top $11.15 for few loads 190 to 230-lbs.; bulk early sales desirable 170 to 250-lbs. $11.00 to $11.10; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.25 to $11.00; no weightier hogs sold; packing sows 10 to 25¢ lower; bulk $9.25 to $9.85, odd lots choice light kinds up to $10.15; stock pigs steady, $9.25 to $10.50.

Sheep:- Lambs 25 to 35¢ lower; bulk woolskins $15.75 to $16.00; clippers $14.50 to $14.75; best Arizona springers $16.65, no choice kinds offered; sheep 15 to 25¢ lower; two-year-old shorn wethers $11.00; aged wethers $9.50 to $10.00; shorn ewes $9.00 to $9.35.

HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)			NAT'L. STK. YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$11.10-11.40	$11.15-11.55	$10.65-11.05	$10.50-11.00
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	11.15-11.45	11.25-11.65	10.90-11.15	10.60-11.05
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	11.00-11.45	11.10-11.65	10.85-11.15	10.25-11.00
Lt. Lts.	(130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.25-11.40	10.50-11.60	10.20-11.00	9.75-10.85
Packing sows, smooth and rough			9.35-10.10	10.00-10.60	9.25-10.15	9.75-10.25
Slaughter Pigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	8.75-10.50	9.50-11.25	9.00-10.50	----------
Fdr & Stkr. Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	8.50-10.50	----------	9.00-10.50	9.00-10.00
Av. Cost & Wt. Sat.	(Pigs Exc)		11.52-198#	11.50-239#	11.13-239#	11.14-255#
Av. Cost & Wt. Week.	(Pigs Exc)		11.36-201#	11.46-240#	11.00-234#	11.07-253#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	----------	13.50-14.75	----------	----------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.85-14.50	14.25-14.90	13.50-14.25	13.50-14.50
		Good	13.00-13.85	13.50-14.25	12.85-13.50	12.75-13.50
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.85-14.75	14.25-14.90	13.50-14.65	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.25	12.85-13.75	13.00-13.75
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	14.00-15.00	14.35-15.00	13.75-14.75	14.00-14.75
		Good	13.40-14.25	13.75-14.35	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.00
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	12.25-13.50	12.50-13.75	11.75-13.00	12.25-13.25
		Common	9.75-12.40	10.50-12.75	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.25
Steers: (Fed calves and yearling 750-950#)		Choice	14.25-15.00	14.50-15.00	14.00-14.75	14.00-14.75
		Good	13.50-14.25	13.75-14.50	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.00
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	14.00-14.90	14.25-14.85	13.25-14.85	13.25-14.25
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.00-14.25	12.00-13.50	12.25-13.25
		Com-Med	8.75-13.00	9.50-13.00	9.00-12.25	9.00-12.25
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	11.75-14.00	12.25-14.50	12.00-13.75	11.50-13.75
		Good	10.75-13.50	11.25-14.00	10.75-13.25	10.75-13.00
		Medium	9.25-12.50	10.00-13.00	9.25-12.00	9.25-12.25
Cows:		Choice	11.00-12.00	11.00-12.00	10.50-11.50	10.75-11.75
		Good	10.00-11.00	9.75-11.00	9.75-10.50	9.50-10.75
		Com-Med	9.25-10.00	8.25- 9.75	8.00- 9.75	8.25- 9.50
	Low	Cut-Cut	6.25- 8.25	6.50- 8.25	5.75- 8.00	6.25- 8.25
Bulls: (Ylg. Exc. Beef.)		Gd-Ch	10.00-11.00	10.35-11.50	9.40-10.25	9.50-10.75
		Cut-Med	7.50-10.00	8.50-10.50	7.50- 9.40	7.75- 9.50
Calves:	(500# dn)	Med-Ch	10.00-13.00	10.50-13.50	9.50-12.50	10.00-13.50
		Cull-Com	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.50	6.50- 9.00	6.50-10.00
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	14.75-16.25	14.00-16.50	11.50-15.50	12.50-15.50
		Medium	12.25-14.75	11.00-14.00	9.50-11.50	11.00-12.50
		Cull-Com	6.00-12.25	8.00-11.00	6.00- 9.50	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.50
		Com-Med	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.25	9.50-12.25	9.75-12.00
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.25
		Com-Med	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	11.00-12.00	10.25-11.75	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		Com-Med	8.50-11.00	9.25-10.25	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.50- 9.25	8.50- 9.25	8.25- 9.25	8.00- 9.00
		Com-Med	7.50- 8.50	8.00- 8.50	7.25- 8.25	6.75- 8.00
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	----------	----------	12.25-14.50	11.75-14.25
		Medium	----------	----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
Spring Lambs:		Gd-Ch	----------	----------	16.50-17.75	16.50-17.75
		Medium	----------	----------	15.50-16.50	15.00-16.50
		Cull-Com	----------	----------	13.00-15.50	14.00-15.00
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	14.75-15.50	15.00-16.00	14.00-14.85	14.75-15.25
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	14.75-15.50	14.75-15.35	14.00-14.75	14.50-15.25
	(92# dn)	Medium	13.75-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.00-14.00	14.00-14.75
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	13.50-15.25	13.75-15.35	13.00-14.50	13.75-14.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	10.00-13.75	11.00-14.25	9.50-13.00	10.50-14.00
Yearling Wethers	(110# dn)	Med-Ch	9.75-13.50	10.25-14.25	9.75-13.50	9.50-13.25
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	7.50- 9.00	8.00-10.00	7.50- 9.35	7.50- 9.00
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	7.25- 8.75	8.00- 9.85	7.25- 9.25	7.25- 8.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	3.00- 7.50	3.00- 8.00	2.55- 7.50	2.25- 7.50

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-TUESDAY-APRIL 30, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**3,500	** 2,000	17,500	3,000
CHICAGO	8,000	4,000	23,000	13,000
KANSAS CITY	9,500	1,200	13,000	14,000
OMAHA	9,000	500	17,000	15,000
ST. JOSEPH	1,400	300	5,500	7,000
ST. PAUL	2,700	2,300	6,500	300
SIOUX CITY	3,000	200	7,500	2,000
CINCINNATI	225	550	3,300	350
INDIANAPOLIS	1,400	800	7,500	600
PITTSBURG	- - -	100	1,500	750
BUFFALO	25	125	300	25
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	38,750	12,575	103,100	56,025
ONE WEEK AGO	34,200	12,100	103,525	38,075
ONE YEAR AGO	39,660	11,925	96,920	33,900
TO DATE THIS WEEK	99,675	29,550	274,700	119,675
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	82,250	25,475	203,435	108,050
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	105,960	28,375	230,740	95,450

**RUN INCLUDES 350 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 1,300 THROUGH AND 1,200 DIRECT; CHICAGO 2,500; KANSAS CITY 1,100; OMAHA 1,700; ST. JOSEPH 600; SIOUX CITY 300; ST. PAUL 300.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-MONDAY-APRIL 29, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	3,041	[illegible]	21,463	[illegible]
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	421	- - -	10,[illegible]	- - -
PACKER PURCHASES	2,021	2,746	7,322	[illegible]

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-TUESDAY-APRIL 30, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P.M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 3,500 THIS MORNING, AS AGAINST ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 2,974 LAST TUESDAY, AND TOTAL UNLOADINGS OF 4,291 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

A FEELING OF BEARISHNESS HUNG OVER THE CATTLE MARKET FROM THE START THIS MORNING ON MOST ALL KILLING CLASSES, WHICH BROKE OUT INTO DECLINES BEFORE TRADING WAS ON IN EARNEST. WITH THE DETERMINED EFFORT OF BUYERS TO CHEAPEN COSTS - AND A MODERATELY LIBERAL SUPPLY - IT TURNED OUT TO BE A BUYERS' MARKET WITH PRICE LOSSES GETTING GREATER AS THE DAY PROGRESSED AFTER A LONG DRAWN OUT BARGAINING SESSION. STEER QUALITY AND CONDITION WAS SUCH AS TO PLACE THE MAJORITY AMONG THE MEDIUM AND GOOD GRADES WITH A SPRINKLING OF CHOICE MATERIAL INCLUDED, WHILE A FEW LOADS OF BULLOCKS MANAGED TO GET AWAY EARLY ON ABOUT A STEADY BASIS, MOST DEALS WERE TRANSACTED ON A 15-25¢ LOWER LEVEL, LARGELY 25¢ LOWER AT THE CLOSE. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS WERE OFFERED IN MORE LIBERAL NUMBERS AND AMONG THESE WERE TWO CARS OF CHOICE HEIFERS WHICH ARRIVED LATE, THESE BEING QUITE COMPARABLE BUT SOMEWHAT LESS DESIRABLE THAN THE 15.00 HEIFERS LAST WEEK. THESE CLASSES GOT AWAY TO A SLOW START, A FEW SMALL LOTS SELLING ABOUT STEADY ON A PEDDLING BASIS EARLY, BUT FOR THE BULK OF THE CROP IT WAS MOSTLY A 25¢ LOWER DEAL, AND IN SPOTS MORE. COWS AND ALL CUTTERS ALSO RULED UNEVEN, BUT LARGELY 15-25¢ LOWER. BEST WEIGHTY MEDIUM BULLS REMAINED [illegible] KINDS HERE AND THERE SHOWING A FEW LOSSES. THE VEALER MARKET SUFFERED ANOTHER BREAK TO THE EXTENT OF 50¢.

OUTSTANDING AMONG THE STEERS WAS 17 HEAD OF 990# AVERAGES WHICH PLACED THE DAY'S TOP AT 14.80, WHILE ANOTHER SHORT LOAD OF LONG YEARLINGS STOPPED AT 14.25. FOR THE BULK [illegible] STEERS THE 12.00 TO 13.50 [illegible] PLAIN KINDS DOWNWARD TO 11.50 [illegible] BELOW. TWO CARS OF CHOICE 774# HEIFERS REACHED 14.50, A SHORT LOAD $14.35, WHILE THE MAJORITY OF THE MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS WENT AT 12.00 TO $13.75. A LOAD OF CHOICE COWS RECORDED 11.00, WITH THE BULK OF MATRONS TURNING AT $8.75 TO 10.50, AND LOW CUTTERS $6.00 TO 7.00. BEST MEDIUM BULLS CLEARED AT 10.00, OTHERS [illegible] ACCORDING TO CONDITION, WHILE GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS [illegible] AND PACKERS AT 14.75 FOR THE TOP AND BULK.

HOGS: RECEIPTS OF HOGS NOT ONLY AT THIS POINT BUT ALSO IN THE AGGREGATE AT ELEVEN MARKETS [illegible] PRACTICALLY THE SAME AS THE SUPPLIES OF LAST TUESDAY. YESTERDAY'S LIBERAL [illegible] SLOW WITH DECLINING PRICES. TRADE OPENED [illegible] AVERAGE [illegible] STEADY [illegible] WHILE [illegible] GREATER LOSSES. THE MARKET PEPPED UP A LITTLE AROUND MID-SESSION [illegible] WAS SLOW AND [illegible] AT THE DAY'S EXTREME DECLINE, [illegible] LOSS. PACKERS [illegible] THE MOST PART AND AS THIS WAS WRITTEN SEVERAL LOADS WERE [illegible]. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS SHARED THE DAY'S WEAKNESS. LOCAL RECEIPTS [illegible] ESTIMATED AT 17,500, INCLUDING 2,500 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL UNLOADINGS OF 17,708 LAST TUESDAY AND 17,[illegible] A YEAR AGO.

BULK OF ALL 180-260# WEIGHTS CASHED AT $11.35 TO 11.40, A LIMITED NUMBER OF LOADS REALIZING THE TOP PRICE OF $11.45. SEVERAL LOADS A LITTLE LACKING IN QUALITY OR CARRYING GREATER WEIGHT CASHED AT $11.30, WITH A LOAD OF AROUND [illegible] BUTCHERS GOING AT 11.20. AT THE EXTREME CLOSE A FEW LOADS OF MEDIUM TO GOOD MEDIUM WEIGHT BUTCHERS SOLD AS LOW AS $11.25. MOST 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS TURNED AT [illegible] TO $11.00, WITH 120# PIGS LARGELY AROUND $10.00, LIGHTER WEIGHTS RANGING DOWNWARD TO AROUND $9.50. BULK OF PACKING SOWS CASHED AT $9.90 TO 10.00, A FEW ODD HEAD OF ROUGH DESCRIPTIONS LOWER.

SHEEP: WEIGHT OF INCREASED RECEIPTS COUPLED WITH SLOW OUTLET TO DRESSED LAMB IN THE EAST, FORCED SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES TO LOWER LEVELS. DECLINES IN THE LAMB SECTION FIGURED AROUND 50¢ OR CONSIDERING QUALITY EVEN GREATER LOSSES WERE NOTED. SHEEP SUFFERED ANOTHER 75¢ TO $1.00 SETBACK MAKING A NET LOSS OF NEARLY $2.00 FROM THE PRICES OF LAST WEEK. MOST OF THE DAY'S SUPPLIES CONSISTED OF CLIPPED LAMBS WITH A SPRINKLING OF SPRING LAMBS AND SHEEP. THE RUN WAS ESTIMATED AT 3,000 HEAD, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 276 LAST TUESDAY AND 2,[illegible] A YEAR AGO. TOTAL AT ELEVEN MARKETS WAS ABOUT 50% GREATER THAN LAST TUESDAY'S ARRIVALS.

POPULAR PRICE FOR CLIPPED LAMBS TO PACKERS WAS 14.75, BULK OF THE DAY'S SUPPLIES OF GOOD TO CHOICE GRADES REALIZING THIS FIGURE, AN OCCASIONAL DECK OF LESS DESIRABLE KINDS EARNING $14.50. CITY BUTCHERS PAID UP TO $15.00 FOR A FEW ODD LOTS OF CHOICE LAMBS. TRADE WAS SLOW THROUGHOUT WITH BULK OF SALES MADE QUITE LATE. CULLS ARE SALABLE AROUND $10.00 TO $12.00. PRACTICAL TOP ON SHORN EWES WAS $8.00, A FEW ODD LOTS SELLING EARLY AT HIGHER FIGURES, BULK CASHING AROUND $7.50 TO $8.00, ACCORDING TO WEIGHT. ODD LOTS OF SPRING LAMBS SOLD AT $17.50 TO $19.00, CITY BUTCHERS PAYING UP TO $19.50 AND $20.00 FOR A FEW [illegible].

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: STEERS & YLGS. WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; HEIFERS STEADY TO WEAK; OTHER CLASSES FULLY STEADY; FED STEERS & YLGS. $12.75-14.25; TOP 14.40; HEIFERS $12.00-13.35; BEEF COWS $9.00-10.50; ALL CUTTERS $6.50-8.25; BULLS [illegible]-9.50; TOP VEALS $15.50
HOGS: STEADY TO STRONG WITH MONDAY'S CLOSE: [illegible] $10.75-10.90; TOP $11.00; 130-190# $9.75-10.35; PACKING SOWS WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER [illegible]-10.00.
SHEEP: LAMBS 25-50¢ LOWER; SHEEP MOSTLY STEADY; [illegible] SPRING LAMBS $17.00 TO $17.50; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $14.50; WOOLED EWES $10.50 [illegible] SHORN EWES MOSTLY $8.00-9.00; ONE LOAD STRICTLY CHOICE CALIFORNIA EWES $9.50; SHEARING LAMBS $15.25-15.75; EARLY SALES CALIFORNIA FEEDING LAMBS $14.00.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, TUESDAY, APRIL 30, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A.M.

CATTLE:- FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER, LOWER GRADES SHOWING DECLINE, MOST EARLY SALES STEADY TO WEAK, BUT VERY LITTLE DONE; BUYERS INTERESTED IN FEW LOADS STRICTLY GOOD AND CHOICE KINDS SUITABLE FOR EASTERN SHIPMENT, ALSO FOR WEIGHTY BULLOCKS FOR LOCAL KOSHER TRADE; KILLING QUALITY VERY PLAIN, MOST OFFERINGS OF VALUE TO SELL AT $13.00 TO $14.00, EARLY TOP $14.60; FEW LOADS HELD HIGHER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS ABOUT STEADY; SHE STOCK STEADY TO WEAK; BULLS FIRM AND VEALERS STEADY TO STRONG; OUTSTANDING HEAVY SAUSAGE BULLS $10.25 TO $10.40; SELECTED VEALERS UP TO $17.00, FEW SMALL LOTS $17.50, MOSTLY $14.00 TO $15.50 ON 100 TO 120-LB. AVERAGES.

HOGS:- VERY SLOW; OPENED AROUND 10¢ LOWER, LATER TRADE 15 TO 25¢ LOWER IN COMPARISON WITH MONDAY'S AVERAGE; BIG PACKERS BIDDING SHARPLY UNDER CURRENT QUOTATIONS; TOP $11.60 PAID FOR AN OUTSTANDING LOAD OF 207-LB. AVERAGES; BULK OF BETTER GRADE 180 TO 230-LB. WEIGHTS $11.30 TO $11.50; 240 TO 300-LB. AVERAGES $11.10 TO $11.35, A FEW OUTSTANDING LOADS AT INSIDE WEIGHT $11.40 AND $11.45 EARLY; BIDDING UNDER $11.00 ON HOGS SCALING OVER 300-LBS.; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 130 TO 150-LB. WEIGHTS $10.60 TO $11.40; PIGS MOSTLY $9.75 TO $10.75; BULK PACKING SOWS $10.00 TO $10.25, SMOOTH LIGHT WEIGHTS UP TO $10.40 AND $10.50.

SHEEP:- MARKET SLOW; FEW EARLY SALES WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; FEW GOOD TO CHOICE 84 TO 88-LB. WOOLSKINS $16.25 TO $16.50, SOME HELD HIGHER; FEW GOOD SHORN LAMBS $15.00, BEST HELD ABOVE $15.50; SCATTERED LOTS NATIVE SPRING LAMBS 40-LBS. AND DOWN AT $20.00 AND $21.00 ON SPECIALTY ACCOUNTS, FEW MEDIUM KINDS $16.00; SHEEP LARGELY 50¢ LOWER; FEW GOOD TO CHOICE WOOLSKINS $10.00; SCATTERED LOTS SHORN KINDS AT $8.50 TO $9.00; THROWOUTS $4.00 TO $6.50; FEW SHORN FEEDING LAMBS $12.50.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- FED STEER AND YEARLING MARKET NOT FULLY ESTABLISHED; FEW OPENING SALES FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS AND FED HEIFERS STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER; QUALITY MOSTLY GOOD AND CHOICE; SLAUGHTER COWS SLOW, STEADY; BULLS STRONG TO 15¢ HIGHER; VEALERS STEADY TO WEAK; WEIGHTY CALVES STEADY; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS SLOW, ABOUT STEADY; BULK FED STEERS ELIGIBLE TO SELL AROUND $13.00 TO $14.25; CHOICE 1384-LB. STEERS EARLY $13.75; FEW LOADS FAT LIGHT YEARLINGS $13.25 TO $14.25; CHOICE MIXED YEARLINGS HELD AROUND $14.75; BUTCHER COWS MOSTLY $9.00 TO $10.25; MEDIUM BULLS $9.00 TO $9.50; VEALERS $15.00 DOWN; FEW LOADS STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $11.75 TO $13.50.

HOGS:- MODERATELY ACTIVE TO SHIPPERS; WEAK TO 10¢ LOWER THAN MONDAY'S AVERAGE; BIG PACKERS INACTIVE; TOP $11.10 FOR CHOICE 210 TO 220-LBS.; BULK EARLY SALES DESIRABLE 160 TO 260-LBS. $10.90 TO $11.05; $11.00 GENERAL PRICE; FEW LIGHTER WEIGHTS DOWN TO $10.40; PACKING SOWS MOSTLY $9.00 TO $9.75, FEW UP TO $9.90; STOCK PIGS $9.25 TO $10.50.

SHEEP:- FAIRLY ACTIVE; FAT LAMBS 15 TO 25¢, MOSTLY 25¢ LOWER; BULK ARIZONA SPRINGERS $17.00 TO $17.25; WOOLSKINS MOSTLY $15.50 TO $15.70; CLIPPERS $14.35 TO $14.65; SHEEP 25 TO 40¢ LOWER; FALL SHORN EWES $9.10; MOST CLIPPED EWES $8.25 TO $8.75; TEXAS SHORN WETHERS $9.50.

			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00A.M.
HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)						
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$11.10-11.35	$10.90-11.40	$10.50-10.95	$10.30-10.90
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	11.15-11.45	11.10-11.60	10.80-11.10	10.35-11.00
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	11.00-11.45	11.00-11.50	10.75-11.05	10.15-10.90
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.25-11.35	10.25-11.50	10.20-11.00	9.50-10.75
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.60-10.10	9.85-10.50	9.00- 9.90	9.50-10.00
SLAUGHTER PIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	8.75-10.50	9.50-11.25	9.00-10.50	-----------
FDR & STKR. PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	8.50-10.50	-----------	9.00-10.50	9.00-10.25
AV. COST & WT. MON. (PIGS EXC)			11.00-211#	11.41-238#	10.88-223#	10.82-246#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	-----------	13.50-14.75	-----------	-----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.50	14.25-15.00	13.50-14.25	13.50-14.50
		GOOD	12.75-13.75	13.50-14.25	12.85-13.50	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.75	14.35-15.00	13.50-14.25	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.35	12.85-13.75	12.75-13.75
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	14.00-14.75	14.50-15.00	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.50	13.00-14.00	13.00-13.75
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	12.25-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.00
		COMMON	9.75-12.25	10.50-12.75	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.00
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	14.00-14.75	14.50-15.00	14.00-14.75	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.50	13.00-14.00	13.00-13.75
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	14.00-14.75	14.25-14.85	13.25-14.25	13.25-14.25
		GOOD	12.75-14.00	13.00-14.25	12.00-13.50	12.00-13.25
		COM-MED	8.75-13.00	9.50-13.00	9.00-12.25	9.00-12.00
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	11.75-13.75	12.25-14.50	12.00-13.75	11.50-13.75
		GOOD	10.75-13.25	11.25-14.00	10.75-13.25	10.75-13.00
		MEDIUM	9.25-12.50	10.00-13.00	9.25-12.00	9.00-12.00
COWS:		CHOICE	11.00-11.75	11.00-12.00	10.50-11.50	10.75-11.75
		GOOD	9.75-11.00	9.75-11.00	9.75-10.50	9.50-10.75
		COM-MED	8.25- 9.75	8.25- 9.75	8.00- 9.75	8.25- 9.50
	LOW	CUT-CUT	6.00- 8.25	6.50- 8.25	5.75- 8.00	6.25- 8.25
BULLS: (YLG.EXC.BEEF.)		GD-CH	10.00-11.00	10.35-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.75
		CUT-MED	7.50-10.00	8.50-10.50	7.50- 9.50	7.75- 9.50
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	10.00-13.00	10.50-13.50	9.50-12.50	10.00-13.50
		CULL-COM	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.50	6.50- 9.00	6.50-10.00
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	14.25-15.75	14.00-17.00	11.50-15.50	12.50-15.50
		MEDIUM	11.75-14.25	11.00-14.00	9.50-11.50	11.00-12.50
		CULL-COM	6.00-11.75	8.00-11.00	6.00- 9.50	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.50
		COM-MED	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.25	9.50-12.25	9.75-12.00
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.25
		COM-MED	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	11.00-12.00	10.25-11.75	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		COM-MED	8.50-11.00	9.25-10.25	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
COWS:		GD-CH	8.50- 9.25	8.50- 9.25	8.25- 9.25	8.00- 9.00
		COM-MED	7.50- 8.50	8.00- 8.50	7.25- 8.25	6.75- 8.00
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	-----------	-----------	12.25-15.00	11.75-14.25
		MEDIUM	-----------	-----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	-----------	-----------	16.25-17.50	16.25-17.50
		MEDIUM	-----------	-----------	15.25-16.25	14.75-16.25
		CULL-COM	-----------	-----------	12.75-15.25	13.50-14.75
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	14.25-15.00	14.75-15.75	14.00-14.75	14.25-14.75
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	14.25-15.00	14.50-15.65	13.75-14.65	14.00-14.75
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	13.25-14.25	14.00-14.75	12.75-13.75	13.50-14.25
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	13.00-14.75	13.75-15.50	13.00-14.25	13.50-14.50
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	9.50-13.25	11.00-14.25	9.50-13.00	10.25-13.50
YEARLING WETHERS	(110# DN)	MED-CH	9.25-13.00	10.00-14.00	9.75-13.25	9.50-13.25
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	6.50- 8.25	7.25- 9.25	7.25- 9.00	7.50- 9.50
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	6.25- 8.00	7.25- 9.25	7.00- 8.75	7.25- 9.00
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	2.50- 6.50	3.00- 7.25	2.50- 7.25	2.25- 7.50

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DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-WEDNESDAY-MAY 1, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**2,000	**2,000	11,500	2,500
CHICAGO	9,000	4,000	25,000	14,000
KANSAS CITY	6,500	1,000	10,000	16,500
OMAHA	5,500	500	10,000	7,000
ST. JOSEPH	1,500	400	6,000	9,000
ST. PAUL	3,200	3,800	11,500	700
SIOUX CITY	2,500	200	6,500	2,500
CINCINNATI	275	375	2,600	125
INDIANAPOLIS	1,400	900	6,000	400
PITTSBURG	- - -	150	1,400	1,500
BUFFALO	150	275	950	250
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	32,025	13,600	91,450	54,475
ONE WEEK AGO	32,575	12,525	105,750	42,100
ONE YEAR AGO	42,675	13,350	100,350	47,275
TO DATE THIS WEEK	131,700	43,150	366,150	174,150
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	114,325	38,000	309,225	144,150
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	148,635	40,225	331,090	132,725

**RUN INCLUDES 700 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 1,500 THROUGH; CHICAGO 12,000; KANSAS CITY 1,500; OMAHA 600; ST. JOSEPH 200; SIOUX CITY NONE; ST. PAUL NONE.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-TUESDAY-APRIL 30, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	3,932	2,396	16,844	2,792
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	1,072	776	9,768	- - -
PACKER PURCHASES	3,070	1,794	5,853	2,589

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-WEDNESDAY-MAY 1, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P.M.)

CATTLE: MORNING ESTIMATES CALLED FOR 2,000 CATTLE TODAY, AS AGAINST ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 2,585 LAST WEDNESDAY, AND A TOTAL OF 3,247 BY ACTUAL COUNT THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

THE MODERATE SUPPLY OF STEERS EXCHANGED OWNERSHIP SOMEWHAT MORE READILY TODAY AT MOSTLY STEADY TO WEAK TERMS COMPARED WITH THE CLOSE OF TUESDAY'S SESSION, OR IN GENERAL 25-40¢ LOWER FOR THE WEEK TO DATE. THERE WERE PRACTICALLY NO STEERS OFFERED WHICH WOULD GRADE VERY HIGH UP INTO THE GOOD CLASSIFICATION, THE CONSIST BEING A FEW LOADS CAPABLE OF GRADING GOOD AND THE BALANCE LARGELY MEDIUM AND COMMON MATERIAL. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS PROVED TO BE THE DARK SPOT IN THE TRADE, THESE MEETING WITH A DRAGGY DEAL AND A FEW ADDITIONAL PRICE CONCESSIONS WERE IN ORDER BEFORE BUYERS COULD BE INTERESTED AS A RULE, CONSEQUENTLY THIS END OF THE TRADE RULED WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER. THE COW TRADE WAS A VERY UNEVEN AFFAIR, WITH THE OPINIONS GREATLY VARIED AS TO THE STATUS OF THE TRADE, SOME SALESMEN REPORTING BETTER GOING AT STRONGER PRICES, WHILE OTHERS MET WITH THE OPPOSITE EXTREME, BUT IN GENERAL IT WAS ABOUT A STEADY DEAL THROUGHOUT THE YARDS. MEDIUM BULLS WERE IN GOOD DEMAND FROM BOTH LOCAL AND OUTSIDE INTERESTS AND PRICES RULED FULLY STEADY. THE VEALER MARKET LOST GROUND TO THE EXTENT OF 25¢, THESE GOING LARGELY TO PACKERS.

A SHORT LOAD OF 1121# STEERS CASHED AT $13.75, ANOTHER AT $13.50, WHILE THE BULK CLEARED LARGELY AT $12.25 TO $13.40, WITH SEVERAL CARS OF COMMON "YELLOWHAMMERS" STOPPING AT $11.75. TWO CARS OF CHOICE HEIFERS AVERAGING 607 AND 721# REGISTERED $14.15 AND $14.50 RESPECTIVELY, WHILE MOST OF THE MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS TURNED AT $12.00 TO $13.65. FEW COWS SOLD UPWARD TO $11.50, THE MAJORITY LANDING BETWEEN THE $8.75 TO $10.50 LIMITS. LOW CUTTERS WENT LARGELY AT $6.00 TO $7.00, WITH CUTTER MATERIAL UPWARD TO $8.25. BEST WEIGHTY MEDIUM BULLS RECORDED $10.00 WITH OTHERS DOWNWARD ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND CONDITION, WHILE BUTCHER KINDS WERE FOUND AT $10.25 TO $10.50 LARGELY. THE $15.50 TERM WAS ESTABLISHED AS THE PRICE FOR THE BULK AND TOP OF GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS, AS COMPARED WITH $15.75 FOR COMPARABLE KINDS YESTERDAY.

HOGS: EARLY SHIPPING DEMAND WAS SCANTY IN THE HOG YARDS AND AFTER A VERY SLOW OPENING, GENERAL PRICES RULED 10-15¢ LOWER THAN THE AVERAGE TRADE OF TUESDAY. LATER SHIPPING DEMAND EXPANDED AND WITH PACKERS MAKING MODERATE PURCHASES NEAR THE CLOSE, THE TREND STRENGTHENED SO THAT THE CLOSE WAS ACTIVE TO ALL INTERESTS, STRONG WITH EARLY OR MOSTLY 10¢ BELOW THE PREVIOUS DAY'S AVERAGE. LIGHT LIGHTS IN SOME INSTANCES REFLECTED GREATER LOSSES THAN THE WEIGHTIER KINDS, WHILE PIGS FOUND A FAIRLY ACTIVE OUTLET AT STEADY FIGURES. RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 11,500 INCLUDING 1,500 BILLED THROUGH COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 15,493 LAST WEDNESDAY AND 12,611 CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR. TOTAL AT ELEVEN MARKETS WAS ABOUT 13% LESS THAN A WEEK AGO.

INCLUDING CLOSING SALES, BULK OF 160-240# WEIGHTS SOLD TO ALL INTERESTS AT $11.25 TO $11.30. LATTER PRICE WAS PRACTICAL TOP THOUGH A FEW EARLY TRANSACTIONS INCLUDED SEVERAL PART LOADS AND ODD LOTS AT $11.35. WEIGHTIER HOGS WERE SCARCE, SCATTERING LOADS OF 260-280# BUTCHERS SELLING AT $11.15 TO $11.20. NOTHING WAS REPORTED SCALING 300# OR OVER, THESE WEIGHTS BEING QUOTABLE AROUND $11.15 AND DOWNWARD. MAJORITY OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS CASHED AT $10.25 TO $10.75, OCCASIONAL LOTS OF CHOICE ONE FIFTIES UP TO $11.00. PIGS MOVED AT $8.50 TO $10.25, LATTER PRICE TAKING MOST OF THE 130# WEIGHTS, LOWER FIGURE BEING PAID FOR PLAIN QUALITIED LIGHT KINDS. BULK OF PACKING SOWS CENTERED AT $9.80 TO $9.90, A FEW LOTS OF SELECTED PACKERS SELLING UP TO $10.00.

SHEEP: CONTINUED LIBERAL RECEIPTS AROUND THE LIVESTOCK CIRCUIT EXERTED FURTHER PRESSURE AND ANOTHER SHARP DOWNTURN WAS REPORTED, ALL GRADES OF SHEEP AND LAMBS SHARING THE LOSS. TRADE WAS SLOW THROUGHOUT, PRACTICALLY NO SALES BEING MADE UNTIL AROUND NOON. LOCAL BUTCHER DEMAND WAS ALMOST LACKING, PACKERS BUYING NEARLY EVERYTHING THAT WAS OFFERED. SELLERS RESISTED THE DECLINES BUT IN THE END WERE FORCED TO TAKE MOSTLY 50¢ LOWER PRICES ON ALL LAMBS, SHEEP SLIPPING BACKWARD ANOTHER $1.00 ON THE BETTER GRADE. THE RUN WAS ESTIMATED AT 2,500 INCLUDING A LIBERAL PROPORTION BILLED DIRECT OR THROUGH, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 691 LAST WEDNESDAY AND 559 A YEAR AGO.

MOST OF THE SALABLE SUPPLIES COMPRISED FOUR DECKS OF GOOD TO CHOICE CLIPPED LAMBS, A DECK OF TENNESSEE SPRING LAMBS AND ODD LOTS OF SHEEP. PACKERS PURCHASED A DOUBLE DECK OF NEAR CHOICE 84# CLIPPED LAMBS AT $14.50, TWO DECKS AVERAGING AROUND 86-88#, CASHING AT $14.25. THE SPRING LAMBS GRADED GOOD AND SOLD TO A PACKER AT $16.50. MOST OF THE SHORN EWES TURNED AT $6.00 TO $7.00, THE PRICE VARYING ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY, WEIGHTIER DESCRIPTIONS SELLING AROUND THE LOWER FIGURE.

OMAHA MARKET-11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS MOSTLY FULLY STEADY WITH LATE TRADE TUESDAY; SHE STOCK STEADY; BULLS AND VEALS STRONG; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS SCARCE; FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.25-14.00; YEARLINGS $14.10; HEIFERS $12.00-13.50; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00-10.50; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.50-8.25; MEDIUM BULLS $9.25-9.75; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $15.50; FEW $16.00.

HOGS: SLOW, 10-25¢ LOWER THAN TUESDAY'S UNEVEN TRADE; CHOICE MEDIUM WEIGHT BUTCHERS SHOWING MOST LOSS; TOP $10.75 ON SORTED 200-240#; BULK GOOD AND CHOICE 190-250# $10.50 TO $10.65; BULK 250-340# $10.25-10.60; 140-190# SELECTIONS $9.75-10.65; FEEDER PIGS MOSTLY $9.50-10.00; PACKING SOWS AND STAGS 25¢ LOWER AT $9.50-9.75.

SHEEP: LAMBS MOSTLY 25¢ LOWER, SPOTS 50¢ LOWER; SHEEP 50¢ TO $1.00 LOWER THAN TUESDAY'S BEST PRICES; FEEDING AND SHEARING LAMBS 25-50¢ LOWER; BULK CALIFORNIA SPRING LAMBS $17.00; TOP TO SHIPPERS $17.40; EARLY SALES FED WOOLED LAMBS $14.65-15.25; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $14.25; WOOLED EWES $9.50 DOWN; SHORN EWES $8.25 DOWN; SHEARING LAMBS UP TO $14.75.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A.M.

CATTLE:- Fed steers and yearlings 15 to 25¢ lower; very slow at decline; shippers demand narrow; local large and small killers going very slow, especially on light yearlings; largely fat steer run, with medium to good grades predominating and sizable supply strictly good and choice light and medium weight steers in receipts; early top $14.75 paid for light steers; 1331-lb. averages $14.65; most early sales $13.00 to $14.00; stockers and feeders weak; she stock trade very spotty, steady to 25¢ lower; mostly steady early; bulls steady, most sausage offerings $9.75 to $10.25; vealers 50¢ to $1.00 lower, light kinds $14.00 to $15.00; shipper kinds mostly $16.00 to $16.50, very few $17.00.

HOGS:- Opened very slow at 10 to 15¢ lower prices in comparison with Tuesday's average; later trade fairly active at decline; top $11.40 paid for an occasional load of strictly choice around 200-lb. weights, several loads at $11.35; bulk of better grade 160 to 240-lb. weights $11.10 to $11.30; medium quality sorts down to $10.85; bulk of good and choice 250 to 310-lb. averages $10.90 to $11.10, strictly choice loads at inside weight up to $11.20; light lights and pigs 25¢ lower; bulk of better grade 130 to 150-lb. averages $10.50 to $11.15; pigs mostly $9.50 to $10.50; bulk packing sows $9.75 to $10.10.

SHEEP:- Extremely slow; few early sales and bids 25 to 50¢ lower; few sales and bids good to choice woolskins around $16.00; good to choice shorn lambs held above $15.00; bidding unevenly lower on bulk of spring lambs; good Californias held above $17.00; few choice light native springers on specialty accounts $20.00 to $24.00; ewes 25 to 50¢ lower; few woolskins $9.50 to $9.75; shorn kinds largely $8.00; few choice $8.50 to $8.75; feeding and shearing lambs nominal.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- Few sales fed steers and yearlings around steady with Tuesday's decline; fairly liberal supply of fed steers offered; light yearlings and she stock slow, steady; bulls steady to strong; vealers steady to 50¢ lower; weighty calves steady; stockers and feeders slow, steady to easier; early sales fed steers $12.75 to $13.75; one load yearlings $14.25, some held higher; fat light yearlings $13.00 to $14.25; bulk butcher cows $9.00 to $10.50; medium bulls of strong weight up to $9.50 and above; good to choice vealers $12.00 to $15.00.

HOGS:- Fairly active to shippers; mostly steady with Tuesday's average; big packers inactive; top $11.00 for choice 190 to 240-lb. averages; bulk desirable 170 to 250-lbs. $10.85 to $11.00; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.40 to $10.90; 250 to 300-lbs. $10.60 to $10.85; packing sows around 25¢ lower, bulk $9.00 to $9.50 few $9.65; stk. pigs $9.50/10.60.

SHEEP:- Very slow; few sales wooled lambs $15.25 to $15.40, around 25¢ lower; nothing else sold. Closing Market:- Uneven; spring lambs steady to 10¢ lower; fed lambs and sheep 25 to 40¢ lower; Arizona springers $17.35 to shippers, others $15.90 to $17.25; woolskins $15.25 to $15.40; clipped lambs $14.00 to $14.25; two-year-old shorn wethers $10.30; aged shorn wethers $9.00; Arizona shorn ewes $8.50.

HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A.M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$11.00-11.25	$10.75-11.20	$10.40-10.85	$10.00-10.65
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	11.00-11.30	10.85-11.40	10.70-11.00	10.20-10.75
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	10.75-11.30	10.75-11.40	10.70-11.00	9.85-10.75
Lt. Lts.	(130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.25-11.25	10.15-11.35	10.35-10.90	9.50-10.50
Packing sows, smooth and rough			9.50-10.00	9.60-10.25	8.75- 9.65	9.25- 9.75
Slaughter Pigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	8.75-10.50	9.00-10.85	9.25-10.60	----------
Fdr &Stkr. Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	8.50-10.50	----------	9.25-10.60	9.00-10.00
Av. Cost & Wt. Tues. (Pigs Exc)*			11.18-198#	11.16-244#	10.72-240#	10.57-254#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
Steers:	(1300# up)	Gd-Ch	----------	13.25-14.50	----------	----------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.75-14.50	14.00-14.75	13.50-14.50	13.50-14.25
		Good	12.75-13.75	13.35-14.00	12.75-13.50	12.75-13.50
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.75-14.75	14.00-14.90	13.50-14.65	13.75-14.60
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.35-14.25	12.75-13.75	12.75-13.75
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	14.00-14.75	14.25-14.90	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.60
		Good	13.25-14.00	13.25-14.25	13.00-13.90	13.00-13.75
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	12.25-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.00
		Common	9.75-12.25	10.50-12.75	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.00
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)		Choice	14.00-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.90-14.75	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.25-14.00	13.25-14.25	13.00-13.90	13.00-13.75
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	13.75-14.60	13.75-14.60	13.25-14.35	13.25-14.25
		Good	12.50-13.75	12.75-14.00	12.00-13.50	12.00-13.25
		Com-Med	8.75-12.75	9.25-13.00	9.00-12.25	9.00-12.00
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	11.75-13.75	12.00-14.25	12.00-13.75	11.50-13.75
		Good	10.75-13.25	11.00-13.75	10.75-13.25	10.75-13.00
		Medium	9.25-12.50	10.00-13.00	9.25-12.00	9.00-12.00
Cows:		Choice	11.00-11.75	10.75-11.75	10.50-11.50	10.75-11.75
		Good	9.75-11.00	9.50-10.75	9.75-10.50	9.50-10.75
		Com-Med	8.25- 9.75	8.25- 9.25	8.00- 9.75	8.25- 9.50
		Low Cut-Cut	6.00- 8.25	6.50- 8.25	5.75- 8.00	6.25- 8.25
Bulls: (Ylg. Exc. Beef.)		Gd-Ch	10.00-11.00	10.35-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		Cut-Med	7.50-10.00	9.50-10.50	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
Calves:	(500# dn)	Medium	10.00-13.00	10.50-13.50	9.50-12.50	10.00-13.50
		Cull-Com	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.50	6.50- 9.50	6.50-10.00
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	14.00-15.50	13.75-16.50	11.50-15.00	13.00-16.00
		Medium	11.50-14.00	11.00-13.75	9.50-11.50	11.00-13.00
		Cull-Com	6.00-11.50	8.00-11.00	6.00- 9.50	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.50
		Com-Med	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.25	9.50-12.25	9.75-12.00
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.25
		Com-Med	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	11.00-12.00	10.25-11.75	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		Com-Med	8.50-11.00	9.25-10.25	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.50- 9.25	8.50- 9.25	8.25- 9.25	8.00- 9.00
		Com-Med	7.50- 8.50	8.00- 8.50	7.25- 8.25	6.75- 8.00
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	----------	----------	12.25-15.00	11.75-14.25
		Medium	----------	----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
Spring Lambs:		Gd-Ch	----------	----------	16.25-17.40	16.00-17.40
		Medium	----------	----------	15.25-16.25	14.50-16.00
		Cull-Com	----------	----------	12.75-15.25	13.25-14.50
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	13.75-14.50	14.50-15.35	13.75-14.40	14.00-14.50
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	13.75-14.50	14.25-15.35	13.50-14.25	13.75-14.50
	(92# dn)	Medium	12.75-13.75	13.75-14.50	12.75-13.50	13.25-14.00
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	12.50-14.25	13.50-15.00	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.25
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	9.25-12.75	10.75-13.75	9.50-13.00	10.00-13.25
Yearling Wethers	(110# dn)	Med-Ch	9.00-12.50	10.00-13.75	9.75-13.00	9.25-13.00
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	5.50- 7.25	7.00- 9.00	7.00- 8.50	7.00- 8.50
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	5.25- 7.00	7.00- 8.75	6.50- 8.25	6.75- 8.25
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	2.50- 5.50	3.00- 7.00	2.50- 7.00	2.00- 7.00
*Av. Cost & Wt. April (Pigs Exc)			11.24-204#	11.41-241#	10.96-235#	10.98-254#

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National Stock Yards, Illinois

Daily Report of Livestock Market-Thursday-May 2, 1929

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
National Stock Yards	**1,500	**1,500	15,000	2,500
Chicago	7,500	5,000	15,000	15,000
Kansas City	1,500	1,500	5,500	5,000
Omaha	2,100	100	3,500	8,000
St. Joseph	800	200	4,000	7,000
St. Paul	2,500	1,500	5,000	100
Sioux City	2,000	100	4,000	700
Cincinnati	225	650	2,300	250
Indianapolis	500	600	3,500	100
Pittsburg	--	175	2,100	500
Buffalo	175	300	430	400
Total 11 markets	18,800	11,625	61,380	39,550
One week ago	20,950	9,975	83,750	44,800
One year ago	23,510	10,350	61,240	35,800
To date this week	151,000	54,775	427,530	212,200
Same period last week	135,775	47,975	334,975	198,950
Same period last year	172,145	50,575	412,330	168,325

**Run includes 500 cattle and calves on through billing. Today's estimated hog receipts include estimated unloads of through and direct billed hogs as follows: National Stock Yards 2,000 through; Chicago 3,500; Kansas City 1,500; Omaha 250; St. Joseph none; Sioux City 800; St. Paul none.

National Stock Yards Receipts, Shipments and Packer Purchases-Wednesday-May 1, 1929

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Actual receipts	2,345	2,015	10,932	3,635
Total shipments	945	537	7,293	1,332
Packer purchases	2,279	2,189	3,919	1,290

National Stock Yards Livestock Market-Thursday-May 2, 1929

(Based on Market Conditions and Sales Reported up to 1:00 P.M.)

CATTLE: Receipts of cattle were estimated at 1,500 today, as against actual arrivals of 1,537 last Thursday, and total unloadings of 1,366 the corresponding day a year ago.

Trading in the cattle division was very much upset today, due to a heavy rain followed by one of worst snowstorms of the year, accompanied by high winds and the late or non-arrival of trains for the market. A few loads would straggle in now and then, but not enough to form a basis on which to judge market conditions with any degree of accuracy. A load of good yearling steers which were among the early arrivals sold at a lower level or about 50¢ lower than the previous week's close. A load of mixed yearlings and odd lots of mixed yearlings and heifers turned with no appreciable change from yesterday, as did the limited showing of medium bulls. Butcher cows and cutters were in good demand and trading on these was active, at strong to 10-15¢ higher terms, or more in spots, practically regaining all of the losses which had occurred previously during the week. The vealer market sagged 25¢ again. ~~Today, placing prices $1.25 lower compared with a week ago.~~

A load of good 840# yearling steers at $13.00 comprised sales in this division up until the noon hour, while some sizable lots of mixed yearlings were found at $13.00 to $13.50, with a few small lots and individuals upward to $14.50. Most of the cows were of a kind to sell between the $9.00 and $10.50 spread, with low cutters largely $6.25 to $7.50, and cutters upward to $8.50. Best medium bulls cashed at $10.00, others downward according to condition. Good and choice vealers went largely on shipper account at $15.25 for the top and bulk.

HOGS: Hog trade was rather slow throughout because of the unfavorable weather which delayed most trains. Demand was broad, however, on the part of shipping interests and majority of supplies found a ready outlet at substantially higher prices as soon as they were yarded. Compared with Wednesday's average, most sales were fully 25 to 35¢ higher, pigs and packing sows sharing the advances. Packers did little but a fair clearance was effected on the account of shippers and butchers. With estimates of relatively light supplies Friday several loads were held off the market late. Receipts here were estimated at 13,000 head including 2,000 billed through compared with actual marketings of 14,142 last Thursday and 11,234 a year ago. Total at eleven markets was 30¢ short of last Thursday's marketings.

It was generally an $11.60 market for desirable grades of 150-220# weights with a fairly liberally paid top of $11.35. A few less desirable lights sold down to $11.30. Several loads of 240-270# butchers cashed at $11.50 to $11.35, occasional lots of heavy butchers selling down to $11.40. Majority of 130-150# light lights realized $10.50 to $11.25, choice one fifties selling above the latter figure in some instances. Pigs were scarce and sold actively at the advance. Most 90-130# weights scored $9.00 to $10.50, a few lower grade light pigs down to as low as $6.50. Majority of packing sows centered at $10.15, a few smooth butchery sows at $10.25 and rough descriptions down to $10.00

SHEEP: Receipts of sheep and lambs were estimated at 2,500 head today compared with actual marketings of 727 last Thursday and 849 a year ago. Most of the supplies were billed through and direct, only odd lots and part loads being offered for sale. The undertone on lambs was weak and odd lots even appeared to be a little lower but salable supplies were too light to justify a change in quotations. Odd lots of fatshorn ewes cashed at steady figures. Packers bought a few lots of good shorn lambs at $14.25 with culls around $10.00 to $11.00. City butchers paid $17.00 for a few head of desirable grades of spring lambs. Better light and handyweight fat ewes sold around $7.00 with medium and heavy weights going mostly at $6.00 to $6.50.

Omaha Market - 11:00 A.M.

Cattle: Fed steers and yearlings moderately active, strong to 10-15¢ higher; other killing classes fully steady; stockers and feeders scarce, steady; fed steers and yearlings $12.75 to $13.75; five loads medium weights $13.85; yearlings $14.00; heifers $12.00 to $13.50; odd head $14.00; bulk beef cows $9.00 to $10.50; choice lots mostly $10.75 to $11.75; odd head $11.85 to $12.00; bulk all cutters $6.50 to $8.25; medium bulls $9.25 to $9.65; practical top veals $16.00.

Hogs: 25-40¢ higher to shippers on weights 270# down; big packers inactive; top $11.15 on 200# butchers; good and choice 180-270# weights $10.75 to $11.10; nothing done on stronger weight butchers; 140-180# selections $10.00 to $11.00; feeder pigs $9.50 to $10.00, steady; packing sows $9.75 to $10.00.

Sheep: Lambs mostly 25¢ lower; sheep 25-50¢ lower; feeders weak; bulk sorted good and choice California spring lambs $16.50 to $16.75; wooled lambs $14.75 to $15.25; fed clipped lambs mostly $14.00; shipper top $14.35; shorn ewes $8.00 down; no sales shearing or feeding lambs.

5-2-29
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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, THURSDAY, MAY 2, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS STEADY TO WEAK; DESIRABLE SHIPPER KINDS HOLDING STEADY; SHE STOCK RELATIVELY SCARCE, MOSTLY STEADY; BULLS WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER AND VEALERS UNCHANGED; VERY FEW STOCKERS AND FEEDERS IN RUN; INBETWEEN GRADE FAT STEERS OF VALUE TO SELL AT $13.00 TO $13.75 PREDOMINATING; EARLY TOP STEERS AND YEARLINGS $14.25, SOME HELD CONSIDERABLY HIGHER; $15.00 PAID LATE WEDNESDAY FOR 1134-LB. STEERS; MOST BEEF COWS $8.75 TO $10.25; CUTTERS $5.75 TO $8.00; $10.25 PRACTICAL TOP ON WEIGHTY SAUSAGE BULLS; SHIPPER VEALERS $16.00 TO $16.50, LIGHT KINDS MOSTLY $14.00 TO $15.00; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $12.25 TO $13.25, FEW $13.50.

HOGS:- MOSTLY 25 TO 35¢ HIGHER THAN WEDNESDAY'S AVERAGE; SLOW AT ADVANCE; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 160 TO 240-LB. WEIGHTS $11.40 TO $11.60; SEVERAL LOADS AT $11.65; TOP $11.70 PAID FOR AROUND 200-LB. AVERAGES; DESIRABLE GRADES OF 250 TO 310-LB. AVERAGES $11.30 TO $11.50; BULK OF BETTER GRADE 130 TO 150-LB. WEIGHTS $10.85 TO $11.50; PIGS MOSTLY $9.75 TO $10.75; BULK PACKING SOWS $9.85 TO $10.15, SMOOTH SORTS AT $10.25 AND UP TO $10.40, THESE ONLY SHOWING 10 TO 15¢ ADVANCE.

SHEEP:- MARKET OPENING SLOW; SCATTERED SALES STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER; PRACTICALLY NOTHING DONE ON CALIFORNIA SPRING LAMBS; HEAVY WOOLED LAMBS $15.25, CHOICE 86-LB. WEIGHTS $16.00; FEW CHOICE 88-LB. CLIPPED LAMBS $14.75 AND $14.85, PLAINER KINDS $14.25; SCATTERED LOTS LIGHT NATIVE SPRINGERS ON SPECIALTY ACCOUNT $18.00 TO $22.00; NO SHEEP SOLD; BIDDING $1.00 OR MORE LOWER ON FAT EWES; NO FEEDING OR SHEARING LAMBS SOLD.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- FULLY STEADY TRADE ON MOST KILLING CLASSES CATTLE; QUALITY LARGELY MEDIUM TO GOOD; VEALERS STEADY TO WEAK; WEIGHTY CALVES STEADY; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS SLOW, WEAK; TRADE CONFINED LARGELY TO SUPPLIES HELD BY DEALERS; CHOICE 629-LB. MIXED YEARLINGS $14.00; BULK FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.50 TO $13.75; SEVERAL LOADS ROUGH HEAVY STEERS $12.75 TO $13.00; BULK BUTCHER COWS $9.00-$10.50, FEW UPWARD TO $11.00 AND ABOVE; MEDIUM BULLS $9.00 TO $9.50; GOOD TO CHOICE VEALERS $12.00 TO $15.00, MOSTLY $14.00 DOWN.

HOGS:- OPENED FAIRLY ACTIVE TO SHIPPERS, 20 TO 25¢ HIGHER; NOW UNEVEN, MOSTLY 10 TO 15¢ HIGHER THAN WEDNESDAY'S AVERAGE; BIG PACKERS INACTIVE; TOP $11.25 FOR 130 TO 240-LBS.; BULK DESIRABLE 170 TO 250-LBS. $11.00 TO $11.25; 140 TO 160-LBS. $10.60 TO $11.10; 250 TO 325-LBS. $10.75 TO $11.05; PACKING SOWS $9.25 TO $9.75; STOCK PIGS STEADY, $9.50 TO $10.60.

SHEEP:- SLOW AND UNEVEN; LAMBS OPENED WEAK TO 15¢ LOWER; CLOSING 25 TO 40¢ LOWER; BEST ARIZONA SPRINGERS $17.15 TO SHIPPERS; WOOLSKINS MOSTLY $15.00 TO $15.30; CLIPPERS $13.50 TO $14.00; SHEEP STEADY TO 15¢ LOWER; SHORN TWO-YEAR-OLD WETHERS $10.50; AGED SHORN WETHERS $9.00 TO $9.25.

			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)						
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$11.25-11.55	$11.10-11.50	$10.60-11.05	$10.25-11.10
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	11.25-11.65	11.25-11.70	10.35-11.25	10.35-11.15
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	11.30-11.65	11.10-11.70	10.35-11.35	10.00-11.15
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.50-11.60	10.75-11.35	10.50-11.15	9.65-10.75
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.75-10.25	9.25-10.40	8.75-9.75	9.50-10.00
SLAUGHTER PIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	9.00-10.75	9.25-11.15	9.25-10.60	----------
FDR & STKR. PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	8.75-10.75	----------	9.25-10.60	9.00-10.00
AV. COST & WT. WED. (PIGS EXC)			11.08-215#	11.03-254#	10.84-242#	10.42-257#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	----------	13.25-14.50	----------	----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.50	14.00-14.75	13.50-14.50	13.50-14.25
		GOOD	12.75-13.75	13.25-14.00	12.75-13.50	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.75	14.00-14.90	13.50-14.50	13.75-14.60
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.25	12.75-13.60	12.75-13.75
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	14.00-14.75	14.25-14.90	13.60-14.75	13.75-14.60
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.25	12.75-13.75	13.00-13.75
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	12.00-13.00	12.50-13.50	11.50-12.75	12.00-13.00
		COMMON	9.75-12.25	10.50-12.50	9.50-11.50	9.75-12.00
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	14.00-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.25	12.75-13.75	13.00-13.75
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	13.75-14.60	13.75-14.60	13.00-14.25	13.25-14.25
		GOOD	12.50-13.75	12.75-14.00	11.75-13.25	12.00-13.25
		COM-MED	8.75-12.75	9.25-13.00	8.75-12.00	9.00-12.00
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	11.75-13.75	12.00-14.25	11.75-13.75	11.50-13.75
		GOOD	10.75-13.25	11.00-13.75	10.75-13.00	10.75-13.00
		MEDIUM	9.25-12.50	10.00-12.75	9.25-11.75	9.00-12.00
COWS:		CHOICE	11.00-12.00	10.75-11.75	10.50-11.50	10.75-11.75
		GOOD	10.00-11.00	9.50-10.75	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.75
		COM-MED	8.50-10.00	8.25-9.50	8.00-9.50	8.25-9.50
		LOW CUT-CUT	6.25-8.50	6.50-8.25	5.75-8.00	5.75-8.25
BULLS:	(YLG. EXC. BEEF.)	GD-CH	10.00-11.00	10.25-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		CUT-MED	7.50-10.00	8.50-10.35	7.50-9.50	8.00-9.75
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	10.00-13.00	10.50-13.50	9.50-12.50	10.00-13.50
		CULL-COM	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.50	6.50-9.50	6.50-10.00
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	13.75-15.25	14.00-16.50	11.50-15.00	13.00-16.00
		MEDIUM	11.25-13.75	11.00-14.00	9.50-11.50	11.00-13.00
		CULL-COM	6.00-11.25	8.00-11.00	6.00-9.50	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.50
		COM-MED	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.25	9.50-12.25	9.75-12.00
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.25
		COM-MED	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	11.00-12.00	10.25-11.75	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		COM-MED	8.50-11.00	9.25-10.25	8.25-10.50	8.25-9.75
COWS:		GD-CH	8.50-9.25	8.50-9.25	8.25-9.25	8.00-9.00
		COM-MED	7.50-8.50	8.00-8.50	7.25-8.25	6.75-8.00
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	----------	----------	12.25-15.00	11.75-14.25
		MEDIUM	----------	----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	----------	----------	16.00-17.25	15.75-17.00
		MEDIUM	----------	----------	15.00-16.00	14.25-15.75
		CULL-COM	----------	----------	12.50-15.00	13.00-14.25
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	13.75-14.50	14.15-15.00	13.50-14.15	13.75-14.35
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	13.75-14.50	14.00-15.00	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.35
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	12.75-13.75	13.25-14.15	12.50-13.25	13.00-13.75
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	12.50-14.25	13.00-14.75	12.75-13.75	13.00-14.00
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	9.25-12.75	10.50-13.25	9.25-12.75	10.00-13.00
YEARLING WETHERS	(110# DN)	MED-CH	9.00-12.50	10.00-13.50	9.50-13.00	9.00-12.75
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	5.50-7.25	6.50-8.25	7.00-8.50	6.75-8.00
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	5.25-7.00	6.50-8.00	6.50-8.25	6.50-7.75
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	2.50-5.50	3.00-6.50	2.50-7.00	2.00-6.75

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National Stock Yards, Illinois

Daily Report of Livestock Market-Friday-May 3, 1929.

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
National Stock Yards	**400	**400	10,000	750
Chicago	1,000	1,000	11,000	10,000
Kansas City	700	250	6,500	1,800
Omaha	800	100	8,500	6,500
St. Joseph	400	100	5,500	5,500
St. Paul	2,000	2,000	7,000	500
Sioux City	1,000	100	7,000	500
Cincinnati	250	550	3,900	150
Indianapolis	300	600	5,000	100
Pittsburg	25	125	2,250	1,100
Buffalo	125	825	3,200	1,300
Total 11 markets	7,000	6,050	69,850	28,300
One week ago	7,450	5,175	64,550	32,800
One year ago	7,375	3,350	54,500	26,500
To date this week	159,000	60,825	497,380	240,500
Same period last week	143,225	53,150	459,525	221,750
Same period last year	179,520	55,925	466,830	195,025

**Run includes 200 cattle and calves on through billing. Today's estimated hog receipts include estimated unloads of through and direct billed hogs as follows: National Stock Yards 2,000 through and 500 direct; Chicago 2,500; Kansas City 240; Omaha 600; St. Joseph 300; Sioux City 200; St. Paul none.

National Stock Yards Receipts, Shipments and Packer Purchases-Thursday-May 2, 1929.

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Actual receipts	1,173	1,046	13,543	417
Total shipments	271	417	11,625	116
Packer purchases	601	623	2,284	219

National Stock Yards Livestock Market-Friday-May 3, 1929

(Based on Market Conditions and Sales Reported up to 1:00PM)

CATTLE: Receipts of cattle were estimated at 400 today, compared with actual arrivals of 428 last Friday, and a total of 426 the corresponding day a year ago.

As the morning estimates included a considerable proportion of cattle billed through, the fresh supply was almost a negligible quantity. Trading was confined largely to a few loads of steers which were held over from yesterday, due to the effects of inclement weather conditions on the market. These turned on about a steady basis with the week's 25-50¢ decline still in force. Vealer prices remained stable with the previous day's session, while on a few odds and ends of other classes it was the general Friday clean-up trade at practically unchanged terms.

Most of the steers were light and mediumweights and bordered quite largely between the medium and good grades. Outside of a small lot of mediumweights which earned $13.35, it was principally a $13.00 and $13.15 deal with several loads at both prices. Two cars of Brahman steers crossed the scales at $11.15, and a load of plain lightweight stockers at $10.15. Odd lots of mixed yearlings and heifers turned at $11.75 to $13.50, while most cows were confined to the $9.00 to $10.50 spread. A few low cutters went at $6.25 to $7.25, and good and choice vealers were taken by packers at $15.25.

Practically no change is registered on stocker and feeder classes on country account as the week draws to a close. Stock cows showed some decline at one time in sympathy with the killer cows, reflected in somewhat better quality and condition at the same paper prices, but strengthened again later with the advance on butcher material. The demand often exceeded the short available supply on all classes. A short load of 739# steers topped at $13.25, with a load of 992# averages at $13.00. Bulk of the steers, mostly lightweights, went at $10.65 to $11.00, with a few sales downward to $9.75. Most cows turned at $8.50 to $9.00, and heifers largely $9.50 to $10.50.

HOGS: Marked unevenness featured the hog market today. Shippers and butchers opened trade on a strong to 10¢ higher basis on 240# weights and down. Early orders were filled by the time half of the supplies had sold after which there was an extended period of inactivity. Packers, and on late rounds other interests as well, proved very bearish and closing trade was slow at a decline of 15-25¢ from the average of Thursday. Pigs and light lights were in light supply and found an active outlet. Prices ranged from steady to as much as 25¢ higher with decided unevenness throughout, most sales being quoted steady to strong. Bulk of packing sows sold early, odd head late sharing the declines. Receipts were estimated at 10,000 including 2,500 billed through and direct compared with actual marketings of 9,766 a week ago and 7,539 a year ago.

Early sales comprised a liberal number of 160-240# weights at $11.60 to $11.70, latter price being the practical top and paid very freely. A few part loads realized $11.75. Around mid-session several loads of sorted light hogs went to order buyers around $11.50 although at the close nothing was able to pass the $11.40 money. Packers purchased a liberal number at the close at $11.35 and $11.40, this spread taking majority of 200-260# butchers. Majority of 130-150# light lights cashed at $10.50 to $11.25. Most pigs scaling 90-130# turned at $9.00 to $10.50, occasional lots higher. Most packing sows sold early at $10.25 though a few rough descriptions cashed late as low as $10.00.

SHEEP: Today's sheep run, which was estimated at 750 head, consisted mostly of directs, salable supplies comprising only a few odd lots of various classes. The run last Friday totaled 957 and a year ago this day 170 were offered. The market was steady on the odd lots, though sales were not really sufficient to make a market. City butchers paid $14.50 for a few head of desirable shorn lambs, packers not buying any of this class. Packers purchased 14 head of 63# spring lambs at $16.75, with a smaller number at $16.50. City butchers took a few head of choice springers at $17.00 to $17.75. Shorn ewes sold on packing account at $6.00 to $7.00, the price varying according to weight and quality.

Omaha Market - 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: No full loads steers offered; few small lots steady to weak; she stock slow, steady to weak; bulls about steady; choice veals strong; others weak; stockers and feeders scarce, steady; few lots fed steers and heifers $12.00-13.00; bulk beef cows $9.00 to $10.50; bulk all cutters $6.50-8.00; few medium bulls $8.00-9.50; practical top veals $16.50.

HOGS: Uneven, mostly steady to strong; extreme top $11.25 paid for one load strictly choice 225# butchers; bulk better grade 190-260# $10.75-11.10 and 260-300# butchers $10.50-10.85; medium and good grade offerings and extreme weight butchers upward to 350# mostly $10.35-10.50 to packers; 140-190# selections $10.00-11.00; packing sows uneven, $9.50-10.00.

SHEEP: Wooled & spring lambs 25¢ hghr; sheep 25-50¢ lower; feeders steady; Calif. spring lambs $16.85-17.00; fed wooled lambs $15.00-15.50; shorn ewes $7.50.

Stocker and Feeder Shipments from 12 Markets

	April 19-25 1929	April 13-19 1929	April 21-27 1928	Per cent increase or decrease com. corresponding period 1926-27-28.
Cattle and Calves	62,796	40,151	59,156	51.9 increase
Hogs	9,356	11,823	10,983	25.6 decrease
Sheep	30,482	17,541	17,330	109.9 increase

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, FRIDAY, MAY 3, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A.M.

CATTLE:- Very few steers and yearlings here; light yearlings and desirable light butcher heifers strong, spots higher; few loads well finished light and medium weight steers slow; beef cows of value to sell at $[illegible] downward uneven, but mostly strong to shade higher; common kinds and cutters weak to 25¢ lower; sausage bulls 15 to 25¢ off for last two days; vealers about steady, choice shipper kinds $15.00 to $16.50, light kinds $13.50 to $14.50, few down to $13.00; early top mixed yearlings $14.25; long fed about 1300-lb. Nebraskas held above $14.50; most steers and yearlings $13.00 to $14.00; several loads weighty hay fed Montanas on country account late Thursday and today $13.25 to $13.50, one load $13.65.

HOGS:- A few opening sales 15 to 25¢ higher; later trade very slow, mostly steady with Thursday's average; spots 5 to 10¢ lower on weight averages under 240-lbs. and 5 to 10¢ higher on heavy butchers; practical top $11.[illegible] paid for around 200-lb. weights; bulk of better grade 160 to 230-lb. averages $11.40 to $11.60; desirable 240 to 300-lb. weights $11.30 to $11.50; a few loads of choice 180 to 250-lb. weights up to $11.75 early; bulk desirable 130 to 150-lb. averages $11.00 to $11.60; pigs mostly $9.75 to $10.75; bulk packing sows $10.00 to $10.[illegible], smooth sorts up to $10.50.

SHEEP:- Fairly active on limited available supply; spring lambs steady; few weighty shorn lambs around 25¢ lower; good to choice 70-lb. California springers $17.75; scattered lots light natives on specialty accounts $1[illegible].00 to $20.00; good to choice 95-lb. shorn lambs $14.50, few 110# kinds $13.50; sheep 25 to 50¢ lower, few fat ewes $7.50, choice 112# Californias $8.00; feeding and shearing lambs nominal.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- Receipts include ten cars on through billing. Market largely a clean-up at steady prices; few loads medium to good fed steers and yearlings eligible to sell around $12.50 to $13.00; good mixed yearlings $13.40; medium to good butcher cows $8.50 to $10.50; all cutters $6.00 to $8.00; choice vealers upward to $15.00; stockers and feeders unchanged; light to moderate supply held by dealers.

HOGS:- Opened around 10 to 15¢ higher than Thursday's average to shippers, now very slow and uneven, mostly steady with Thursday's general trade; big packers inactive; top $11.25 paid early for choice 190 to 220-lbs.; bulk early sales desirable 170 to 250-lbs. $11.00 to $11.20; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.50 to $11.00; 230 to 300-lbs. $10.60 to $10.95; packing sows mostly $9.25 to $9.85, few up to $10.00; stock pigs steady, $9.50 to $10.30.

SHEEP:- Receipts mostly on through billing; hardly enough offered to test values; prices nominally steady; two loads Texas shorn yearlings and weathers to feeder buyers at $8.50; few drive in shorn lambs at $13.00.

HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A.M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$11.10-11.40	$11.10-11.60	$10.60-11.00	$10.15-11.10
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	11.10-11.40	11.15-11.80	10.95-11.25	10.25-11.25
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	11.00-11.50	11.00-11.80	10.95-11.25	10.00-11.15
Lt. Lts.	(130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.50-11.40	10.40-11.75	10.50-11.00	9.65-10.75
Packing sows, smooth and rough			9.80-10.30	9.75-10.50	8.75-10.00	9.40-10.00
SlaughterPigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	9.00-10.75	[illegible]-11.15	[illegible]-10.60	----------
Fdr &Stkr.Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	8.75-10.75	----------	9.25-10.60	9.00-10.00
Av. Cost & Wt. Thurs. (PigsExc)			11.34-199#	11.32-246#	10.89-226#	10.65-263#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	----------	13.25-14.50	----------	----------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.75-14.50	14.00-14.75	13.50-14.50	13.50-14.25
		Good	12.75-13.75	13.40-14.00	12.75-13.50	12.75-13.50
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.75-14.75	14.00-14.90	13.50-14.50	13.75-14.60
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.40-14.25	12.75-13.50	12.75-13.75
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	14.00-14.75	14.25-14.90	13.60-14.75	13.75-14.60
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.40-14.25	12.75-13.75	13.00-13.75
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	12.00-13.00	12.50-13.50	11.50-12.75	12.00-13.00
		Common	9.75-12.25	10.50-12.50	9.50-11.50	9.75-12.00
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)		Choice	14.00-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.25	12.75-13.75	13.00-13.75
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	13.75-14.60	13.75-14.30	13.00-14.25	13.25-14.25
		Good	12.50-13.75	12.75-14.00	11.75-13.25	12.00-13.25
		Com-Med	8.75-12.75	9.25-13.00	8.75-12.00	9.00-12.00
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	11.75-13.75	12.00-14.25	11.75-13.75	11.50-13.75
		Good	10.75-13.25	11.00-13.75	10.75-13.00	10.75-13.00
		Medium	9.25-12.50	10.00-12.75	9.25-11.75	9.00-12.00
Cows:		Choice	11.00-12.00	10.75-11.75	10.50-11.50	10.75-11.75
		Good	10.00-11.00	9.50-10.75	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.75
		Com-Med	8.50-10.00	8.00- 9.50	8.00- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
		LowCut-Cut	5.25- 8.50	6.50- 8.00	5.75- 8.00	6.25- 8.25
Bulls: (Ylg. Exc. Beef.		Gd-Ch	10.00-11.00	10.25-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		Cut-Med	7.50-10.00	8.50-10.25	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
Calves:	(500 # dn)	Med-Ch	10.00-13.00	10.50-13.50	9.50-12.50	10.00-13.50
		Cull-Com	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.50	6.50- 9.50	6.50-10.00
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	13.75-15.25	13.50-16.50	11.50-15.00	13.00-16.50
		Medium	11.25-13.75	11.00-13.50	9.50-11.50	11.00-13.00
		Cull-Com	6.00-11.25	8.00-11.00	6.00- 9.50	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.75-13.25	12.50-13.75	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.50
		Com-Med	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.75-12.00
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.25
		Com-Med	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	11.00-12.00	10.25-11.75	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		Com-Med	[illegible]-11.00	9.25-10.25	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.50- 9.25	8.50- 9.25	8.25- 9.25	8.00- 9.00
		Com-Med	7.50- 8.50	8.00- 8.50	7.25- 8.25	6.75- 8.00
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	----------	----------	12.25-15.00	11.75-14.25
		Medium	----------	----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
Spring Lambs:		Gd-Ch	----------	----------	16.00-17.25	16.00-17.25
		Medium	----------	----------	15.00-16.00	14.50-16.00
		CullCom	----------	----------	12.50-15.00	13.25-14.50
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	13.75-14.50	14.00-14.75	13.50-14.15	13.75-14.35
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	13.75-14.50	13.85-14.75	[illegible]-14.00	13.50-14.35
	(92# dn)	Medium	12.75-13.75	13.00-14.00	12.50-13.25	13.00-13.75
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	12.50-14.25	12.75-14.50	12.75-13.75	13.00-14.00
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	9.25-12.75	10.25-13.00	9.25-12.75	10.00-13.00
Yearling Wethers	(110# dn)	Med-Ch	9.00-12.50	9.75-13.25	9.50-13.00	9.00-12.75
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	5.50- 7.25	6.25- 8.00	7.00- 8.50	6.50- 7.75
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	5.25- 7.00	6.25- 7.75	6.50- 8.25	6.25- 7.50
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	2.50- 5.50	2.75- 6.25	2.50- 7.00	1.75- 6.50

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SUMMARY OF LIVESTOCK MARKET - SATURDAY - MAY 4, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS (ESTIMATE)	**150	**50	7,000	300
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS TOTAL THIS WK. (APPROX.)	11,100	9,300	32,350	9,800
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS TOTAL LAST WEEK	9,527	8,055	73,233	3,879
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS TOTAL SAME WK. LAST YR.	13,462	9,220	66,240	5,330
11 MARKET TOTAL THIS WEEK	130,300	62,225	530,110	233,150
11 MARKET TOTAL LAST WEEK	145,425	54,375	499,450	236,225
11 MARKET TOTAL SAME WEEK LAST YEAR.	132,295	56,355	434,280	210,475

**RUN INCLUDES 100 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 2,000 THROUGH AND 1,000 DIRECT; CHICAGO 2,000; KANSAS CITY 500; OMAHA 800; ST. JOSEPH NONE; SIOUX CITY 600; ST. PAUL 150.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-FRIDAY-MAY 3, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	434	713	12,556	539
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	417	14	9,490	- -
PACKER PURCHASES	739	792	6,046	202

LIVESTOCK MARKET QUOTATIONS AND CONDITIONS-SATURDAY-MAY 4, 1929

HOGS: (SOFT OR OILY HOGS & ROASTING PIGS EXC)	NAT'L. STOCKYDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A. M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HVY. WT. (250-350#) MED-CH	$10.85-11.25	$10.60-11.25	$10.40-10.75	$10.00-10.60
MED. WT. (200-250#) MED-CH	10.85-11.40	10.75-11.50	10.50-10.90	10.10-10.75
LT. WT. (160-200#) MED-CH	10.75-11.40	10.50-11.50	10.50-10.90	9.75-10.75
LT. LTS. (130-160#) MED-CH	10.25-11.35	10.00-11.50	10.40-10.75	9.40-10.35
PACKING SOWS SMOOTH&ROUGH	9.80-10.10	9.80-10.40	9.50-9.80	9.25-9.65
SLTR. PIGS (90-130#) MED-CH	8.75-10.50	9.25-11.00	9.25-10.60	----------
FD&STKR PIGS (70-130) MED-CH	9.50-10.50	----------	9.25-10.60	8.75-9.75
AV. COST & WT. FRI. (PIGS EXC)	11.41-211#	11.29-243#	10.78-229#	10.57-259#

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-SATURDAY-MAY 4, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 10:30 A.M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE FOR THE PAST WEEK APPROXIMATED 11,100 HEAD, AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 9,527 FOR THE PREVIOUS WEEK, AND 13,462 FOR THE CORRESPONDING WEEK A YEAR EARLIER.

WITH THE EASTERN MEAT TRADE IN A SLUGGISH CONDITION AND PRICES FALLING OFF ON THE DRESSED PRODUCT, LIVE VALUES ON ALL KILLING CLASSES BROKE DURING THE PAST WEEK, STEERS, MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS DECLINING MOST IN GENERAL. ALL GRADES OF COWS, TOGETHER WITH LOW CUTTERS AND CUTTERS DECLINED CONSIDERABLY EARLY IN THE WEEK; COMMON AND MEDIUM BUTCHER COWS TAKING THE HEAVIEST LOSSES, BUT AFTER MID-WEEK UNDER A GOOD DEMAND AND SHORT SUPPLIES PRICES STRENGTHENED AND ADVANCED SO THAT AT THE CLOSE NO APPRECIABLE CHANGES WERE NOTICEABLE FROM A WEEK AGO. VEALER PRICES SAGGED ALMOST DAILY AND ARE WINDING UP CONSIDERABLY IN THE RED COLUMN.

LIGHTWEIGHT STEERS PREDOMINATED IN THE RUN WITH A SIZABLE SHOWING OF MEDIUM WEIGHTS, WHILE ONLY ONE LOAD OF REAL HEAVYWEIGHTS MADE THEIR APPEARANCE. QUALITY AND CONDITION WAS SUCH AS TO PLACE THE MAJORITY AMONG THE MEDIUM AND GOOD GRADES, ALTHOUGH COMMON "YELLOW-HAMMERS" WERE NOT NEGLECTED IN THE OFFERING BY ANY MEANS. A STRING OF TEXAS GRASS STEERS, THE FIRST OF THE SEASON, HELPED TO SWELL THE SUPPLY BY 18 CARS.

COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO, STEERS, MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS ARE SELLING 25 TO 50¢ LOWER; COWS, ALL CUTTERS AND BULLS ABOUT STEADY; VEALERS $1.75 LOWER; ALL CLASSES OF STOCKERS AND FEEDERS UNCHANGED. TOPS FOR WEEK: 963# YEARLING STEERS $14.60; 674 AND 721# HEIFERS $14.50; 743# MIXED YEARLINGS $14.25; 1108# MATURED STEERS $14.15. BULKS FOR WEEK: STEERS $11.75 TO $13.75; FAT MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS $13.50 TO $14.00; MEDIUM KINDS $12.00 TO $13.00; COWS $9.00 TO $10.50; LOW CUTTERS $6.25 TO $7.25; MEDIUM BULLS $9.50 TO $9.75; GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS AT CLOSE $15.25.

HOGS: HOG TRADE WAS A DULL, UNEVEN AFFAIR TODAY. SHIPPERS AND BUTCHERS FILLED A FEW ORDERS EARLY AT A DECLINE OF 25-35¢ FROM THE BEST TIME OF FRIDAY BUT WITH THESE IMMEDIATE ORDERS FILLED A PERIOD OF INACTIVITY FOLLOWED. ALL INTERESTS WERE BEARISH AND LATER BIDS WERE AROUND 50¢ BELOW THE BEST TIME OF THE PRECEDING DAY AND A FEW SALES WERE MADE ON THIS BASIS. CLEARANCE WAS INCOMPLETE AT A LATE HOUR, MANY SALESMEN REFUSING TO SELL AT SUCH A SHARP DOWNTURN. PACKING SOWS DECLINED 25¢, MOST OF THESE SELLING RELATIVELY EARLY. PIGS WERE SCARCE AND SHARED THE DECLINES TO THE EXTENT OF ABOUT 25¢. RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 7,000 INCLUDING 3,000 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 5,406 LAST SATURDAY AND 730 A YEAR AGO.

MOST EARLY SALES OF 160-210# WEIGHTS WERE MADE AT $11.35 TO $11.40, AN OCCASIONAL LOAD OF 210-230# AVERAGES SELLING A LITTLE LATER AROUND $11.25. LATER BIDS AND SALES OF 170-230# WEIGHTS WERE MADE AROUND $11.15 WITH AN OCCASIONAL LOAD AND PART LOAD OF 260-280# DESCRIPTIONS DOWN TO $11.00. DESIRABLE 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS ARE SALABLE AROUND $10.25 TO $11.00 THOUGH FEW OF THESE WERE ON SALE, IN FACT HARDLY ENOUGH TO TEST VALUES. PIGS SCALING 90-130# ARE SALABLE AROUND $9.00 TO $10.25. MOST PACKING SOWS SOLD AT $10.00, A FEW ODD HEAD SELLING EARLY UP TO $10.10. TRADE THIS WEEK HAS BEEN VERY UNEVEN WITH PRICES SCORING A NET LOSS OF 40-50¢, CLOSING PRICES BEING AT THE LOW TIME OF THE WEEK THOUGH VALUES SANK TO PRACTICALLY AS LOW LEVELS BEFORE MID-WEEK.

SHEEP: RECEIPTS OF SHEEP AND LAMBS THIS WEEK APPROXIMATED 9,800 HEAD COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 3,879 LAST WEEK AND 5,330 CORRESPONDING WEEK LAST YEAR.

INCREASING SUPPLIES COUPLED WITH A DRAGGY OUTLET TO EASTERN DRESSED PRICES RESULTED IN A SERIES OF SHARP DOWNTURNS AFFECTING ALL CLASSES OF SHEEP AND LAMBS. DURING THE FIRST THREE DAYS FAT LAMB PRICES DROPPED OFF $1.50 TO $1.75 WHILE SHEEP DECLINED MOSTLY $2.50 TO $3.00, ONLY LOWER GRADES SHOWING LESS LOSS. DURING THE LATTER HALF OF THE WEEK SUPPLIES WERE TOO SCANTY TO TEST TRENDS AND QUOTATIONS WERE UNCHANGED. ONLY ONE LOAD LOT OF SPRING LAMBS ARRIVED AND WHILE THESE WERE UNEVENLY LOWER THAN COMPARABLE KINDS A WEEK AGO SUPPLIES HAVE BEEN TOO LIGHT TO ACCURATELY ESTABLISH QUOTATIONS.

CITY BUTCHERS PAID $15.50 FOR A DECK OF CHOICE 84# SHORN LAMBS AT THIS WEEK'S OPENING WHILE BEST CLIPPED EWES SOLD AT $9.00 FOR THE WEEK'S HIGH. A DECK OF GOOD YEARLINGS SOLD MONDAY AT $13.25, THERE BEING PRACTICALLY NONE OFFERED LATE THOUGH COMPARABLE KINDS WOULD PROBABLY SELL AROUND $12.25. THE DECK OF SPRING LAMBS GRADED GOOD AND EARNED $16.50, ODD LOTS SELLING UP TO $19.00 AND ABOVE AT THE WEEK'S OPENING. BULK OF SHORN LAMBS SOLD AT THE CLOSE AT $14.25 TO $14.50 WITH CULLS AT $10.00 TO $11.00; LATE BULK OF CLIPPED EWES REALIZED $6.00 TO $7.00 ACCORDING TO WEIGHT.

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TELEGRAPHIC REPORTS FROM OTHER MARKETS
SATURDAY, MAY 4, 1929.
KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- Compared with a week ago: strictly choice fed steers and yearlings about steady, others generally 25¢ lower, spots 50¢ off on medium grades; quality best of the season; she stock steady to 25¢ lower; decline on heifers and medium cows; bulls big 25¢ higher; vealers 50¢ to $1.00 lower; calves steady; stockers and feeders weak to 25¢ lower; week's tops: yearling steers $14.75; mixed yearlings $14.60; heifers $14.35; medium weight and heavy steers $14.50; closing veal top $15.00; bulk fed steers and yearlings $12.75 to $14.25; butcher cows $9.00 to $10.50; stockers and feeders $11.75 to $14.00.

HOGS:- Slow; very uneven; 10 to 25¢ lower than Friday's average or 25 to 35¢ lower than the best time; top $10.90 for choice 180 to 210-lb. averages; several loads good and choice 170 to 200-lbs. $10.60 to $10.85; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.40 to $10.75; few weightier loads unsold; odd lots packing sows $9.25 to $9.50, quotably 15 to 25¢ lower; stock pigs nominally steady.

SHEEP:- Compared week ago: All killing classes closing dull, uneven, $1.00 to $1.50 lower; week's top springers $17.35, bulk $16.00 to $17.25; woolskins $16.00, bulk $15.00 to $15.70; clippers $14.75, bulk $13.75 to $14.65; two-year-old wethers $9.50 to $11.00; aged wethers $9.00 to $10.00; California fall shorn ewes $9.10 to $9.35; most clipped ewes $8.75 down.

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- Compared week ago: strictly choice fed steers and yearlings steady; inbetween grades 25 to 40¢ lower; most downturn developing on medium weight and weighty kinds; common light steers without merit for stockers and feeders 50¢ or more off; stocker trade closed weak to lower; heavy fat cows and heifers 25¢ lower; part of early decline regained late; butcher cows and heifers mostly steady, very scarce; cutters and bulls 25¢ lower; vealers 50¢ to $1.50 lower; $15.00 paid for light yearlings and medium weight steers, new high for season; Kosher holidays, dull dressed trade and a narrow shipping demand bearish factors; undertone still weak at close; most fat steers $13.00 to $14.25; stockers and feeders $11.75 to $13.25; best yearlings $15.50; fleshy Montana hay feds largely $13.25 to $13.50 to country.

HOGS:- Very slow and uneven, mostly 10 to 15¢ lower on choice hogs scaling under 210-lbs.; lower grade light hogs and heavier weights 25 to 30¢ lower; a number of loads carried over bid fully 40¢ lower; top $11.50 paid for a few loads of sorted around 200-lb. averages; largely a big packer market; a few loads of choice 260 to 300-lb. weights at $11.10 and $11.15; 320-lb. butchers down to $10.75; a few loads of medium to good grade 180 to 260-lb. weights at $10.85 to $11.00; odd lots of better grade 130 to 150-lb. weights at $10.50 to $11.00 and packing sows $10.15 to $10.25; shippers took 500; estimated holdover 5,000.

SHEEP:- For week; 74 doubles from feeding stations; 47,500 directs; sharp price breaks on fed lambs and aged sheep due to sluggish dressed trade and increased receipts; springers not sharing decline; fed lambs $1.00 to $1.25 lower; aged sheep fully $2.00 off; early top woolskins $16.65, late $16.00; shorn lambs early $15.60, late $14.75; shorn ewes early $9.50, late $8.00; late bulks: woolskins $15.25 to $16.00; shorn $14.[illegible] to $14.75; shorn ewes $7.00 to $7.50; feeding and shearing lambs sympathetically quoted lower, no test of values.

ST. PAUL MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- Compared week ago; all killing classes weak to 25¢ lower, with most decline noted on matured steers and inbetween grade she stock; cutters steady; bulls and stockers and feeders strong to 25¢ higher; vealers around 50¢ lower; week's prices; top yearlings $14.25; heavy steers $13.60; bulk all weights $12.25 to $13.50; top cows $11.25 in odd lots; top yearling heifers $13.75; bulk fat cows $8.50 to $10.00; heifers $10.[illegible] to $11.50; cutters $6.50 to $7.75; top medium grade bulls $9.75, bulk $9.25 to $9.[illegible]; choice half-fat feeders $13.40; bulk such kinds $12.00 to $13.25; thin stockers $10.75 to $12.00; stock cows $7.25 to $8.50; heifers $8.50 to $9.75, with fleshy offerings up to $10.75; vealers at close mostly $15.00 to $15.50.

HOGS:- Unevenly 15 to around 30¢ lower than Friday's general trade; bulk lights and butchers $10.85, top $10.95; few weighty butchers $10.75; light lights and pigs mostly $10.85; sows largely $9.50.

SHEEP:- Compared week ago: clipped lambs $1.00 to $1.50 lower; ewes $1.50 to $2.00 lower; closing top clipped lambs $14.25; best woolskins $15.25; light and heavy weight shorn ewes $7.00 to $7.50; best wooled ewes $8.25.

FORT WORTH MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- For week: slaughter steers about 25 to 40¢ lower; better grades fat yearlings steady, others weak to around 25¢ lower; butcher cows 50 to 75¢ lower; desirable beef cows and low cutters about 25¢ lower; bulls unchanged; slaughter calves mostly steady; stocker steers and yearlings 25 to 50¢ lower; week's tops: light weight slaughter steers $13.50, good heavies at $12.50; practical top grassers $11.50; fat yearlings $14.00; fat cows $10.00; carlot top heavy bulls $8.75; heavy slaughter calves at $12.50; practical top stock yearlings $13.25; good to choice feeder steers $12.50; bulks: grass slaughter steers $10.00 to $11.25; slaughter yearlings $11.75 to $13.75; fat cows $8.00 to $8.75; cutters and low cutters $5.25 to $6.25; weighty bulls $8.25 to $8.75; heavy slaughter calves $11.25 to $12.00; stock steers and yearlings $10.50 to $12.25.

HOGS:- Market 10 to 15¢ lower; quality considered; two loads medium to good 166 and 198-lb. rail hogs $10.25 and $10.35, latter price top; truck top $10.00; bulk better grades 180 to 240-lb. truck hogs $9.75 to $10.00; packing sows and pigs steady; few packing sows $8.50 to $9.00; feeder pigs $7.75 to $8.00.

SHEEP:- For week: killing classes $1.00 to $1.50 lower; feeder lambs and yearlings around 75¢ to $1.00 lower; feeder wethers weak to 50¢ lower; bulks: spring lambs $13.00 to $14.50; bulk medium to good shorn fat lambs and yearlings $10.50 to $11.50 early; week's top; fat lambs and yearlings $12.50; shorn fat wethers, mixed ages, $8.25 to $9.00; weeks top two year old fat wethers $9.50; bulk aged fat wethers $7.50 to $8.00; feeder lambs and yearlings mostly $9.00 to $10.00; feeder wethers $5.50 to $6.50.

OMAHA MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- Compared with week ago: fed steers and yearlings 15 to 25¢, mostly 25¢ lower; heifers weak to 25¢ lower; cows steady; bulls 25¢ higher; veals steady; stockers and feeders steady to weak; bulks for week: fed steers and yearlings $12.75 to $14.00; several loads light steers $14.10 to $14.40; 1093-lb. weights $14.50; few head yearlings $14.70; heifers $12.00 to $13.50, few loads $13.75 to $14.10; bulk beef cows $9.00 to $10.50; bulk all cutters $6.50 to $8.25; medium bulls $9.00 to $9.65; practical top veals $15.50; stockers and feeders $12.00 to $13.25; few loads $13.35 to $14.00.

HOGS:- Slow; good and choice butchers 260-lb. down 35 to 50¢ lower; few loads choice medium weights held off market; medium grades and heavy butchers 10 to 15¢ lower; top $10.75; bulk 180 to 320-lb. weights $10.25 to $10.50; mostly $10.35 to packers; 140 to 180-lb. selections $9.75 to $10.35; packing sows $9.50 to $9.75.

SHEEP:- Compared with week ago: spring lambs 25 to 50¢ lower; fed wooled and clipped lambs 75¢ to $1.00 lower; matured sheep $1.50 to $2.00 lower; feeders 50¢ lower; closing bulks follow: California spring lambs $16.85 to $17.00; fed wooled lambs $15.00 to $15.25; top $15.50; fed clipped lambs $14.00, top $14.35; shorn ewes $6.50 to $7.25 top $7.50; California feeding lambs $14.00.

"HOGS SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL MEAT INSPECTION"
WEEKS ENDING FRIDAY, MAY 3, 1929, AND MAY 4, 1928

	1929	1928
Chicago, Illinois	134,920	114,948
Indianapolis, Ind.	21,700	15,902
Kansas City, Kans.	63,090	66,571
Nat'l. Stock Yards, Ill. & St. Louis, Mo.	57,454	51,525
New York and Jersey City	31,484	33,159
Omaha, Nebraska	44,087	42,208
Sioux City, Iowa	29,408	*27,990
South St. Joseph, Mo.	25,709	22,711
South St. Paul, Minn.	42,348	39,622

* 1928 figures at Sioux City for calendar week.

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-MONDAY-MAY 6, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**2,000	**2,000	16,000	400
CHICAGO	14,000	6,000	42,000	21,000
KANSAS CITY	10,000	2,200	12,000	13,000
OMAHA	7,500	500	12,000	9,000
ST. JOSEPH	2,600	400	4,000	6,000
ST. PAUL	5,000	3,000	10,000	1,100
SIOUX CITY	3,500	400	7,000	2,500
CINCINNATI	1,100	525	3,900	75
INDIANAPOLIS	500	400	4,000	100
PITTSBURG	850	1,250	4,500	2,650
BUFFALO	1,325	1,450	8,000	4,400
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	48,375	18,125	123,400	60,225
ONE WEEK AGO	60,925	16,975	171,600	63,650
ONE YEAR AGO	46,200	13,925	100,000	51,325

**RUN INCLUDES 150 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 2,000 THROUGH AND 1,500 DIRECT; CHICAGO 15,000; KANSAS CITY 1,500; OMAHA 2,300; ST. JOSEPH 1,400; SIOUX CITY 200; ST. PAUL 700.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-SATURDAY-MAY 4, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	148	58	9,070	63
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	279	2	8,799	172
PACKER PURCHASES	82	8	2,304	- -

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-MONDAY-MAY 6, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00PM)

CATTLE: CATTLE ESTIMATES WERE PLACED AT 2,000 TODAY, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 3,041 LAST MONDAY, AND TOTAL UNLOADINGS OF 2,307 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

THE STEER OFFERINGS TODAY WERE OF MODERATELY LIGHT PROPORTIONS, AND COMPRISED LARGELY LIGHT AND HANDYWEIGHT KINDS MOST OF WHICH WERE ON THE MEDIUM AND GOOD ORDER. BUYERS WERE ON THE MARKET FOR STEERS AT AN EARLY HOUR, BUT AS SALESMEN HAD THEIR "SIGHTS" RAISED ON THE SELLING END, THERE WAS CONSIDERABLE BARGAINING AND VERY FEW EARLY TRANSACTIONS. IT WAS NOT LONG THEREAFTER UNTIL THE MARKET FINALLY BROKE LOOSE IN EARNEST, ON AN UNEVENLY STEADY TO 25¢ HIGHER BASIS, WITH THE BETTER GRADE MATERIAL IN GENERAL RECEIVING THE LONG END OF THE DEAL. HEAVY STEERS WERE SCARCE, BUT WHAT LITTLE WAS PRESENTED RECEIVED A SLOW RECEPTION AND DRAGGED ALONG AND WERE THE LAST TO CROSS THE SCALES. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS WERE WELL TAKEN TO AT STEADY TERMS, BUT BUYERS WERE RELUCTANT TOWARD ANY ADVANCES AND IT WAS ONLY IN A FEW SPOTS, LARGELY ON THE LOW PRICED MATERIAL THAT A FEW MINOR PRICE ADVANCES WERE NOTICEABLE. THE DEMAND FOR COWS, ALL CUTTERS AND BULLS WAS GOOD AND THE EXISTING SUPPLY MOVED QUITE READILY, BUT VALUES IN THIS END OF THE TRADE SHOWED NO APPRECIABLE CHANGE. PRICES ON GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS SAGGED TO THE EXTENT OF 25-50¢, THE CROP GOING LARGELY ON PACKER ACCOUNT.

SEVERAL LOADS OF STEERS AVERAGING FROM 980-1152# COMPETED FOR THE TOP PRICE AT $14.25, WHILE A LOAD OF WELL FINISHED, QUITE WEIGHTY STEERS STOPPED AT $13.80. FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE STEERS IT WAS ALMOST ENTIRELY AT $12.50 TO $13.50 DEAL. ONE LOT OF CHOICE 740# MIXED YEARLINGS REACHED $14.85, WHILE OTHER SALES OF MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS WERE CONFINED QUITE LARGELY BETWEEN THE $12.00 AND $13.75 LIMITS. A FEW COWS RECORDED $11.00 OR BETTER WITH THE BULK, HOWEVER, $9.00 TO $10.50, AND LOW CUTTERS $6.25 TO $7.25, WHILE CUTTERS SOLD UPWARD TO $8.50. TOP WEIGHTY MEDIUM BULLS REGISTERED $10.00, OTHERS DOWNWARD ACCORDING TO CONDITION, WITH GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS GOING ON A TWO PRICE BASIS OF $14.75 AND $15.00.

HOGS: CONSIDERABLE UNEVENNESS WAS NOTED IN THE DAY'S HOG TRADE. EARLY SALES WERE MADE 5-10¢ LOWER COMPARED WITH THE BEST TIME OF SATURDAY, SHIPPERS AND BUTCHERS PICKING UP MOST OF THE BETTER GRADES ON THIS BASIS. AFTER IMMEDIATE ORDERS WERE FILLED ALL BUYING INTERESTS BECAME BEARISH AND, WITH LOWER TRENDS AT OTHER POINTS AND SUBSTANTIALLY LOWER DRESSED PORK PRICES IN THE EAST, THEY WERE ABLE TO OBTAIN REDUCTIONS OF 10-20¢, CLOSING ROUNDS BEING SLOW AT THE EXTRME DECLINE. SHIPPERS HAD CALL FOR A LIBERAL NUMBER OF PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS, MOST OF THESE SELLING EARLY AT PRICES ABOUT IN LINE WITH THOSE OF FRIDAY. PACKING SOWS SHARED THE LOSSES. RECEIPTS HERE WERE ESTIMATED AT 16,000 INCLUDING 3,500 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 21,466 LAST MONDAY AND 11,285 CORRESPONDING SESSION A YEAR AGO.

A SPREAD OF $11.25 TO $11.35 TOOK MOST OF THE DESIRABLE 160-240# WEIGHTS ON EARLY ROUNDS, SHIPPERS AND BUTCHERS PAYING THESE FIGURES. AN OCCASIONAL LOAD OF 270-285# BUTCHERS MOVED AT $11.20. ABOUT MID-SESSION SEVERAL LOADS OF MEDIUM TO GOOD BUTCHERS SCALING UNDER 250# REALIZED $11.15 AND AT THE CLOSE SALES OF GOOD TO CHOICE LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT KINDS WERE MADE AT THIS FIGURE. MOST OF THE LATE SALES OF 160-250# WEIGHTS WERE RECORDED AT $11.10 TO $11.15 AND AT THE EXTREME CLOSE PACKERS WERE ABLE TO PURCHASE SOME DESIRABLE 240-250# BUTCHERS AT $11.00. MAJORITY OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS MOVED AT $10.50 TO $11.00, MOST 90-130# PIGS SCORING $9.00 TO $10.50. PACKING SOWS BULKED AT $9.90 TO $10.00 WITHIN A PRACTICAL RANGE OF $9.75 TO $10.10.

SHEEP: RECEIPTS WERE LIGHT IN THE SHEEP HOUSE TODAY, ESTIMATES CALLING FOR ONLY 400 HEAD COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 2,051 LAST MONDAY AND 1,164 A YEAR AGO. BULK OF EARLY OFFERINGS COMPRISED A DOUBLE DECK OF MOSTLY MEDIUM GRADE SHORN LAMBS ONLY A FEW OF WHICH SOLD. LATER IN THE DAY ABOUT A DOUBLE DECK OF CLIPPED LAMBS AND SEVERAL LOTS OF WETHERS ARRIVED FROM A FEEDLOT. THE MARKET RULED STEADY PACKERS TAKING MOST OF THE MEAGER SUPPLIES. THE CLIPPED LAMBS FROM THE FEEDLOT AVERAGED 77# AND CASHED AT $14.25. CITY BUTCHERS TOOK A SMALL LOT OR TWO AT $14.50, A FEW SPECIALTIES HIGHER. ABOUT SIXTY HEAD OF SHORN LAMBS GRADING MEDIUM TO GOOD CASHED AT $13.75. CULLS ARE SALABLE AROUND $10.00 TO $11.00. PACKERS BOUGHT A PART DECK OF 90# AGED WETHERS AT $8.50 AND 86 HEAD OF TWO-YEAR-OLD WETHERS CARRYING AN END OF YEARLINGS AT $10.50. SHORN EWES ARE SALABLE AT $6.00 TO $7.00 ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS STRONG TO 15¢ HIGHER; SHE STOCK AND BULLS ACTIVE, STRONG; VEALS 50¢ TO $1.00 LOWER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS SCARCE, STEADY; BULK FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $13.00 TO $14.00; LIGHT STEERS AND MIXED YEARLINGS $14.25; HEIFERS MOSTLY $12.00 TO $13.50; SOME HELD HIGHER; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00 TO $10.50; CHOICE LOTS $11.00 TO $12.00; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.50 TO $8.25; MEDIUM BULLS $9.00 TO $9.75; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $15.50; SMALL SUPPLY STOCKERS AND FEEDERS MOSTLY $12.00 TO $13.00.
HOGS: STEADY TO 10¢ HIGHER; TOP $10.75 ON 225-235# BUTCHERS; BULK GOOD AND CHOICE 190-250# WEIGHTS $10.50 TO $10.65; BULK 250-325# BUTCHERS $10.35 TO $10.60; 140-190# SELECTIONS $9.75 TO $10.60; PACKING SOWS AND STAGS $9.50 TO $9.75.
SHEEP: LAMBS OPENING SLOW, WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; SHEEP AND FEEDERS STEADY; EARLY SALES NATIVE SPRINGERS $16.00 TO $16.60; BIDS ON CALIFORNIA SPRINGERS MEDIUM TO GOOD GRADE $15.00 TO $16.50; FEW WOOLED LAMBS $14.50 TO $14.75; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $14.00 DOWN; SHORN EWES $7.50 DOWN; WOOLED EWES $9.00. SHEARING LAMBS $14.50; CALIFORNIA FEEDING LAMBS $13.50 TO $14.00.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, MONDAY, MAY 6, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- Most killing classes strong to 25¢ higher; fat cows and better grade light yearlings showing most advance; steer trade rather slow; largely steer run with inbetween grades predominating; early top light and medium weight steers $14.85; some held at $15.00 and better, most offerings $13.25 to $14.25; stockers and feeders strong, largely $12.00 to $13.25; most fat cows $9.00 to $10.50; cutters $6.75 to $8.00; bulls steady; most weighty offerings $10.10 to $10.25, few outstanding offerings $10.35 and $10.40; light vealers 50 to 75¢ lower at $12.00 to $14.00, shippers $16.00 to $16.50.

HOGS:- Very slow; opened steady to 10¢ higher; mostly steady with Saturday; later trade 15 to 25¢ lower or 25 to 40¢ lower than Friday's average; big packers bidding under $11.00 for all weights; top $11.50 paid for 180 to 210-lb. weights; bulk of good and choice 160 to 230-lb. averages $11.10 to $11.35; 240 to 300-lb. averages mostly $10.90 to $11.15; good and choice 130 to 150-lb. weights $10.60 to $11.35; pigs mostly $9.75 to $10.75; bulk packing sows $9.75 to $10.00, smooth light sorts up to $10.15 and $10.25.

SHEEP:- Market opening very slow; few sales and most bids on fed lambs 25 to 50¢ lower; buyers talking fully 25¢ lower on California spring lambs; natives scarce; few good to choice 85 to 92-lb. shorn lambs $13.75 to $14.00; best woolskins held above $15.50; good to choice Californias held above $17.25; sheep scarce, quotable around 50¢ lower; feeding and shearing lambs nominal.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- Fed steers opening steady to strong; generally asking higher; good sized quota well finished medium weight and heavy Colorado steers offered; light mixed yearlings and fed heifers opening fully steady; slaughter cows and bulls firm; vealers and weighty calves steady; stockers and feeders comparatively scarce, unchanged; early top choice mixed yearlings $14.50; choice yearling heifers $14.25; bulk fed steers eligible to sell around $12.75 to $14.25; bulk butcher cows $9.00 to $10.50; medium bulls $9.00 to $9.50, a few strong weights $9.75; good to choice vealers $12.00 to $15.00; stockers and feeders $11.75 to $14.00.

HOGS:- Slow and uneven; opened steady to 10¢ higher than Saturday's average to shippers; now mostly steady; big packers inactive; top $11.00 on choice 190 to 230-lbs.; bulk early sales desirable 170 to 260-lbs. $10.75 to $10.95; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.40 to $10.85; most weightier offerings unsold; packing sows $9.25 to $9.75; stock pigs weak, $9.50 to $10.50.

SHEEP:- Slow; lambs 15 to 25¢ lower than Thursday; Arizona springers to shippers $17.00; woolskins $14.50 to $15.25; clippers $13.85 to $14.00; no sheep sold, most bids sharply lower.

			NAT'L. STK. YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)						
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$10.80-11.10	$10.60-11.25	$10.50-10.90	$10.00-10.65
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	10.85-11.15	10.75-11.50	10.65-11.00	10.15-10.75
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	10.75-11.15	10.50-11.50	10.65-11.00	9.75-10.75
Lt. Lts.	(130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.50-11.15	10.00-11.50	10.40-10.85	9.50-10.40
Packing sows, smooth and rough			9.60-10.10	9.50-10.25	9.50- 9.70	9.25- 9.85
Slaughter Pigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	9.00-10.75	9.75-11.00	9.25-10.50	-----------
Fdr & Stkr. Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	8.75-10.75	-----------	9.25-10.50	8.75- 9.75
Av. Cost & Wt. Sat. (Pigs Exc)			11.15-205#	10.95-261#	10.62-228#	10.31-257#
Av. Cost & Wt. Week. (Pigs Exc)			11.17-207#	11.23-244#	10.76-233#	10.57-255#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	-----------	13.50-14.65	-----------	-----------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.75-14.50	14.25-14.90	13.50-14.50	13.60-14.35
		Good	13.00-13.75	13.50-14.25	12.75-13.50	12.75-13.60
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	14.00-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.50-14.50	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.25	12.75-13.75	12.75-13.75
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	14.00-15.00	14.25-15.00	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.25	13.00-13.90	13.00-13.75
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	12.00-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.00
		Common	9.75-12.25	10.50-12.50	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.00
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)		Choice	14.00-15.00	14.25-15.00	13.90-14.75	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.25-14.25	13.75-14.25	13.00-13.90	13.00-13.75
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75	13.00-14.25	13.25-14.25
		Good	12.75-14.00	13.00-14.00	11.75-13.25	12.00-13.25
		Com-Med	8.75-13.00	9.25-13.25	8.75-12.00	9.00-12.00
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	11.75-13.75	12.00-14.25	11.75-13.75	11.50-13.75
		Good	10.75-13.25	11.00-13.75	10.75-13.00	10.75-13.00
		Medium	9.50-12.75	10.00-13.00	9.25-11.75	9.00-12.00
Cows:		Choice	11.00-12.00	11.00-12.00	10.50-11.75	10.75-12.00
		Good	10.00-11.00	9.50-11.00	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.75
		Com-Med	8.50-10.00	8.00- 9.50	8.00- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
		Low Cut-Cut	6.25- 8.50	6.50- 8.00	5.75- 8.00	6.25- 8.25
Bulls: (Ylg. Exc. Beef.)		Gd-Ch	10.00-11.00	10.25-11.50	9.75-10.50	9.75-10.75
		Cut-Med	7.50-10.00	8.50-10.25	7.50- 9.75	8.00- 9.75
Calves:	(500# dn)	Med-Ch	10.00-13.00	10.50-13.50	9.50-13.00	10.00-13.50
		Cull-Com	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.50	6.50- 9.50	6.50-10.00
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	13.50-15.00	12.75-16.50	11.50-15.00	12.50-15.50
		Medium	11.00-13.50	10.50-12.75	9.50-11.50	11.00-12.50
		Cull-Com	6.00-11.00	8.00-10.50	6.00- 9.50	6.00-11.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.75-13.25	12.50-13.75	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.50
		Com-Med	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.75-12.00
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.25
		Com-Med	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	11.00-12.00	10.25-11.75	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		Com-Med	8.50-11.00	9.25-10.25	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.50- 9.25	8.50- 9.25	8.25- 9.25	8.00- 9.00
		Com-Med	7.50- 8.50	8.00- 8.50	7.25- 8.25	6.75- 8.00
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	-----------	-----------	12.25-14.75	11.75-14.25
		Medium	-----------	-----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
Spring Lambs:		Gd-Ch	-----------	16.25-17.50	15.75-17.00	15.75-17.00
		Medium	-----------	15.25-16.25	14.75-15.75	14.50-15.75
		Cull-Com	-----------	13.25-15.25	12.50-14.75	13.25-14.50
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	13.75-14.50	13.50-14.40	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.10
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	13.75-14.50	13.35-14.25	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.10
	(92# dn)	Medium	12.75-13.75	12.50-13.50	12.25-13.25	12.75-13.50
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	12.50-14.25	12.50-14.00	12.75-13.50	12.75-13.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	9.25-12.75	10.00-12.50	9.00-12.50	10.00-12.75
Yearling Wethers	(110# dn)	Med-Ch	9.00-12.50	9.50-13.00	9.25-12.50	9.00-12.50
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	5.50- 7.25	6.00- 7.50	6.50- 8.00	6.50- 7.75
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	5.25- 7.00	6.00- 7.25	6.00- 7.50	6.25- 7.50
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	2.50- 5.50	2.75- 6.00	2.00- 6.50	1.75- 6.50

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-TUESDAY-MAY 7, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**3,000	**1,800	14,500	1,800
CHICAGO	8,000	5,000	19,000	11,000
KANSAS CITY	7,000	1,000	9,500	12,000
OMAHA	7,000	500	8,000	9,500
ST. JOSEPH	1,700	300	4,000	7,000
ST. PAUL	2,400	2,600	5,500	100
SIOUX CITY	3,000	200	4,500	2,500
CINCINNATI	400	275	2,800	275
INDIANAPOLIS	1,000	800	6,000	200
PITTSBURG	25	225	300	700
BUFFALO	50	225	900	300
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	33,575	12,925	75,500	45,375
ONE WEEK AGO	38,750	12,575	105,100	56,025
ONE YEAR AGO	33,785	11,075	80,880	41,275
TO DATE THIS WEEK	81,950	31,050	198,900	105,600
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	88,675	29,550	274,700	119,675
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	79,985	25,000	180,880	92,600

**RUN INCLUDES 600 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 500 THROUGH; CHICAGO 1,200; KANSAS CITY 1,300; OMAHA 1,600; ST. JOSEPH 650; SIOUX CITY 200; ST. PAUL NONE.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-MONDAY-MAY 6, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	2,076	2,199	16,135	439
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	134	122	8,313	- -
PACKER PURCHASES	1,316	2,455	5,078	891

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-TUESDAY-MAY 7, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P.M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 3,000 TODAY, AS AGAINST ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 3,932 LAST TUESDAY, AND TOTAL UNLOADINGS OF 3,305 FOR THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

SOME OF THE INTERESTS WERE OUT TO CHEAPEN COSTS ON STEERS TODAY, BUT THERE WAS SUFFICIENT DEMAND STILL PRESENT FOR THE MODERATELY LIGHT SUPPLY OFFERED, SO THAT ANY BEARISH ATTEMPTS PROVED FUTILE, ALTHOUGH IT DID TEND TO SLACKEN UP THE TRADE TO A SLIGHT DEGREE. A FAIRLY COMPLETE CLEARANCE WAS EFFECTED, HOWEVER, WELL BEFORE THE NOON HOUR AT GENERALLY STEADY PRICES. MOST OF THE STEERS WERE ON THE LIGHT AND HANDY-WEIGHT ORDER AND IN A MEDIUM AND GOOD FLESH CONDITION. THERE WAS GOOD INQUIRY FROM ALL INTERESTS FOR MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS AND PRICES RULED STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER, DESIRABLE LIGHT KINDS FOR THE MOST PART SHOWING THE GREATEST UPTURN. THERE WERE SEVERAL LOADS OF GOOD AND CHOICE HEIFERS ON SALE AND AMONG THESE WAS A LOAD OF STRICTLY CHOICE LIGHT MATERIAL, QUITE COMPARABLE IN FLESH CONDITION BUT LIGHTER AND OF MORE DESIRABLE WEIGHT THAN THE $14.30 HEIFERS OF THE PREVIOUS WEEK. BUTCHER COWS WERE IN GOOD DEMAND AND SOLD ACTIVELY AT STEADY TO STRONG TERMS, WHILE THE CUTTER TRADE WAS MOSTLY STEADY, WITH LIGHT LOW CUTTERS EXHIBITING SOME SIGNS OF WEAKNESS THROUGHOUT THE SESSION. MEDIUM BULLS WERE SCARCE AND FULLY STEADY TO STRONG, WHILE VEALERS WERE QUOTABLE STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER.

A LOAD OF EXPERIMENTALLY FED YEARLING STEERS CARRYING AN END OF HEIFERS CASHED AT $14.25, WITH THE TOP ON A STRAIGHT LOAD OF STEERS AVERAGING AROUND 1100# AT $14.20. SEVERAL LOADS OF LIGHT AND YEARLING STEERS AVERAGING FROM 860-979# TURNED AT $14.00, WITH THE BULK FROM THIS PRICE DOWNWARD TO $12.00. TWO LOADS OF CHOICE 665# AND 624# HEIFERS REGISTERED $14.25 AND $14.30 RESPECTIVELY, WITH MOST MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS GOING AT $12.25 TO $14.00. COWS CLEARED LARGELY AT $9.00 TO $10.50, LOW CUTTERS $6.25 TO $7.25, AND CUTTERS UPWARD TO $8.25. WEIGHTY MEDIUM BULLS EASILY BROUGHT $9.75 TO $10.00 AND LIGHTER WEIGHTS DOWNWARD, WITH KINDS ON THE BUTCHER ORDER $10.25 OR BETTER. GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WENT TO PACKERS AND SHIPPERS AT $14.75 FOR THE TOP AND BULK.

HOGS: MARKED UNEVENNESS FEATURED THE HOG MARKET TODAY WITH PRICES ADVANCING AS THE SESSION PROGRESSED AND THE CLOSE ACTIVE AT THE HIGH TIME OF THE DAY. EARLY SHIPPING DEMAND WAS CURTAILED AND OPENING TRANSACTIONS WERE MADE AT A DISCOUNT OF 25-30¢ FROM THE BEST TIME OF MONDAY. RECEIPTS WERE LIGHTER HERE AND IN THE AGGREGATE AT ELEVEN MARKETS SO THAT WITH A DECIDED INCREASE IN LATER SHIPPING INQUIRY A GOOD SHARE OF THE LOSS WAS REGAINED. ALL INTERESTS WERE BUYING ACTIVELY AT THE CLOSE, MOSTLY 10-20¢ LOWER THAN THE BEST TIME MONDAY OR STRONG TO 10¢ ABOVE MONDAY'S LOW CLOSE. A GOOD CLEARANCE WAS EFFECTED. PIGS RULED UNEVENLY STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER THAN MONDAY WITH TRADE QUITE ACTIVE. RECEIPTS HERE WERE ESTIMATED AT 14,500 HEAD COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 16,344 LAST TUESDAY AND 18,018 A YEAR AGO. ELEVEN MARKET TOTAL WAS 25% SHORT OF THAT OF A WEEK AGO.

ON EARLY ROUNDS A MODERATE NUMBER OF DESIRABLE 180-250# WEIGHTS CASHED AT $10.95 TO $11.10, AN OCCASIONAL LOT OF WEIGHTIER BUTCHERS AND A FEW MEDIUM WEIGHT HOGS LACKING IN QUALITY SELLING DOWN TO $10.85. MAJORITY OF LATE SALES OF THESE WEIGHTS WERE MADE TO ALL INTERESTS AT $11.10 TO $11.15, LATTER PRICE PAID FREELY, WITH A FEW HEAVY KINDS DOWN TO $11.00. TOP PRICE WAS $11.25, THIS FIGURE AND $11.20 TAKING AN OCCASIONAL LOAD OF CHOICE AROUND 200# WEIGHTS NEAR THE CLOSE. MOST 130-150# WEIGHTS TURNED AT $10.25 TO $11.00, WITH PIGS SCALING 90-130# AT $9.00 TO $10.50 ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY. A POPULAR PRICE FOR PACKING SOWS WAS $9.75, THOUGH SEVERAL LOTS REALIZED $9.80 TO $9.90 AND SOME SMOOTH PACKERS ON THE BUTCHER ORDER SOLD UP TO $10.00.

SHEEP:- RECEIPTS OF SHEEP AND LAMBS TODAY WERE ESTIMATED AT 1,800 HEAD INCLUDING A LIBERAL NUMBER BILLED THROUGH OR DIRECT COMPARED WITH ACTUAL SUPPLIES OF 2,792 LAST TUESDAY AND 2,298 A YEAR AGO. SALABLE SUPPLIES COMPRISED ABOUT FOUR DECKS OF CLIPPED LAMBS AND SCATTERED LOTS OF SPRING LAMBS AND SHEEP. CLIPPED LAMBS SOLD WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER THAN MONDAY, PACKERS BUYING THE MAJORITY. SHEEP WERE QUOTABLY UNCHANGED AND SPRING LAMBS WERE IN MUCH TOO LIGHT SUPPLY TO BE AN INDICATION OF VALUES. PACKERS PAID $13.75 AND $14.00 FOR GOOD SHORN LAMBS, LATTER PRICE TAKING A DOUBLE DECK OF 68# AVERAGES. CITY BUTCHERS PURCHASED SEVERAL SMALL LOTS AT $14.25, THE LARGEST BUNCH BEING 49 HEAD OF 71# WEIGHTS. CULLS ARE SALABLE AROUND $10.00 TO $11.00. ODD HEAD OF SHORN EWES REALIZED $6.00 TO $7.00 THE PRICE VARYING ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY AND ODD HEAD OF SPRING LAMBS SOLD TO CITY BUTCHERS AROUND $18.00 AND DOWN, A FEW SPECIALTIES UP TO $19.00.

OMAHA MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- GOOD AND CHOICE LIGHT STEERS AND YEARLINGS STEADY, OTHER FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS SLOW, WEAK TO 10-15¢ LOWER; SHE STOCK AND BULLS STEADY; VEALS WEAK TO $1.00 LOWER; FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.75 TO $14.00, FEW $14.25-14.40, CHOICE 1101# AND 780# WTS. MIXED YEARLINGS $14.50; HEIFERS $12.00-13.50, CHOICE $14.15 AND $14.20; BEEF COWS $9.00 TO $10.75; ALL CUTTERS $6.75-8.25; BULLS $[illegible].00-$[illegible].75; TOP VEALS $14.50; CHOICE LOTS TO INDEPENDENTS $15.00-$16.00; FEW LOTS STOCKERS $12.00-$13.00.

HOGS:- SLOW; 10 TO 15¢ LOWER; TOP $10.80; 180-270# $10.35-$10.80; 270 TO 340# $10.15-$10.35, $10.25 TO PACKERS; 140-180# $[illegible] TO $10.50; PACKING SOWS $9.25-$9.75.

SHEEP:- LAMBS STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER; SHEEP 25 TO 50¢ LOWER; FEEDERS STEADY; STRICTLY CHOICE CALIFORNIA SPRING LAMBS $16.75; FEW WOOLED LAMBS $15.25; BEST FED CLIPPED LAMBS HELD AROUND $14.00; SHORN EWES $7.00; SHEARING LAMBS UP TO $14.50.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, TUESDAY, MAY 7, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- YEARLINGS STEADY TO WEAK, STRICTLY GOOD AND CHOICE LIGHT KINDS GETTING BEST ACTION; WEIGHTY STEERS WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; SLOW AT DECLINE, WITH INBETWEEN GRADES OFF MOST; $15.00 BID ON ABOUT 1300-LB. AVERAGES; BEST LONG YEARLINGS EARLY $14.65; HEIFER YEARLINGS $14.50; STEER RUN MOSTLY IN KILLER FLESH; BULK OF QUALITY AND CONDITION TO BRING $13.25 TO $14.50; ACTIVE MARKET ON COWS OF VALUE TO SELL AT $9.00 UPWARD; CUTTERS 15 TO 25¢ LOWER; LOW CUTTERS $6.25 TO $6.75; BULLS 10 TO 15¢ LOWER; PRACTICAL TOP WEIGHTY SAUSAGE BULLS $10.00, FEW OUTSTANDING OFFERINGS $10.15 TO $10.25; TALKING 50¢ OR MORE LOWER ON VEALERS, SELECTED SHIPPERS AROUND $16.00, LIGHT OFFERINGS $12.00 TO $13.50; FEW REPLACEMENT CATTLE IN RUN.

HOGS:- OPENED SLOW, STEADY TO 10¢ LOWER THAN MONDAY'S AVERAGE; LATER TRADE FAIRLY ACTIVE, MOSTLY STEADY; BULK OF BETTER GRADE HOGS SCALING FROM 160 TO 230-LB. $11.10 TO $11.25, AN OCCASIONAL LOAD AT $11.30 TO $11.40; TOP $11.45 PAID FOR A LOAD OF AROUND 200-LB. AVERAGES; MEDIUM QUALITY LOADS DOWN TO $10.75; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 240 TO 300-LB. WEIGHTS $10.85 TO $11.10; BULK OF DESIRABLE 130 TO 150-LB. AVERAGES $10.50 TO $11.15; PIGS MOSTLY $9.50 TO $10.50; PACKING SOWS LARGELY $9.75 TO $10.00, SMOOTH LIGHT WEIGHTS UP TO $10.10 AND $10.25.

SHEEP:- FAIRLY ACTIVE, STEADY TO WEAK; FEW LOADS GOOD TO CHOICE 85 TO 90-LB. SHORN LAMBS $14.25; LOAD AROUND 98-LBS. $13.90; FEW GOOD TO CHOICE WOOLSKINS $15.50, SOME HELD HIGHER; SCATTERED LOTS NATIVE SPRINGERS $17.50; SHEEP SCARCE, AROUND STEADY; FEW MEDIUM TO GOOD KINDS $6.50; CULLS $3.00; SHEARING AND FEEDING LAMBS NOMINAL.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- FED STEER TRADE VERY SLOW, INDICATIONS AROUND STEADY ON LIGHT WEIGHT OFFERINGS; BIDDING LOWER ON OTHERS; LIGHT MIXED YEARLINGS AND SHE STOCK OPENING FULLY STEADY; BULLS SCARCE, STEADY; TALKING SHARPLY LOWER ON VEALERS; WEIGHTY CALVES UNCHANGED; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS SCARCE, FIRM; FEW LOADS CHOICE 1052-LB. STEERS EARLY $14.25, SOME HELD HIGHER; BULK FED STEERS ELIGIBLE TO SELL AROUND $12.75 TO $13.75, QUALITY NOT AS DESIRABLE AS MONDAY; FAT LIGHT YEARLINGS $12.75 TO $14.00; CHOICE LIGHT YEARLINGS, MOSTLY HEIFERS, $14.15; BULK BUTCHER COWS $9.00 TO $10.50; ODD HEAD UPWARD TO $12.00; MEDIUM BULLS OF STRONG WEIGHT UP TO $9.75; CHOICE 474-LB. STOCKERS $14.75, OTHERS MOSTLY $11.75 TO $13.25.

HOGS:- MODERATELY ACTIVE TO SHIPPERS; UNEVENLY 20 TO 30¢ LOWER THAN MONDAY'S BEST TIME, OR 10 TO 20¢ LOWER THAN THE AVERAGE; EARLY TOP $10.80 ON 200 TO 220-LBS.; BULK EARLY SALES GOOD AND CHOICE 170 TO 240-LBS. $10.50 TO $10.75; 140 TO 160-LBS. $10.35 TO $10.60; 250 TO 300-LBS. $10.45 TO $10.60; PACKING SOWS $9.25 TO $9.65; STOCK PIGS $9.50 TO $10.50.

SHEEP:- SLOW AND UNEVEN; WOOLED LAMBS STEADY; CLIPPERS WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; SPRINGERS 25 TO 50¢ LOWER; BEST ARIZONA SPRINGERS $16.65, OTHERS $16.00 TO $16.50; WOOLSKINS $15.00 TO $15.25; CLIPPERS $12.75 TO $14.00; SHEEP DULL, 35 TO 50¢ LOWER; SHORN TWO-YEAR-OLD WETHERS $9.15; AGED SHORN WETHERS $7.25; SHORN EWES $6.50 TO $7.00.

HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$10.80-11.10	$10.60-11.15	$10.25-10.65	$ 9.90-10.60
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	10.85-11.25	10.75-11.45	10.50-10.80	10.00-10.60
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	10.75-11.35	10.35-11.45	10.50-10.75	9.75-10.60
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.25-11.15	10.00-11.25	10.35-10.60	9.50-10.25
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.50-10.00	9.50-10.25	8.90-9.35	9.15-9.75
SLAUGHTER PIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	9.00-10.50	9.25-10.35	9.25-10.50	------------
FDR & STKR. PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	8.75-10.50	------------	9.25-10.50	8.75-9.75
AV. COST & WT. MON. (PIGS EXC)			11.12-205#	10.83-231#	10.57-230#	10.42-253#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	------------	13.25-14.50	------------	------------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.50	14.10-14.90	13.50-14.50	13.50-14.25
		GOOD	13.00-13.75	13.25-14.10	12.75-13.50	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	14.00-14.75	14.10-15.00	13.50-14.50	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.10	12.75-13.75	12.75-13.75
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.25-15.00	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.25	13.00-13.90	13.00-13.75
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	12.00-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.00
		COMMON	9.75-12.25	10.50-12.50	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.00
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.25-15.00	13.80-14.75	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.25-14.25	13.75-14.25	13.00-13.90	13.00-13.75
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	14.00-14.90	14.00-14.75	13.00-14.25	13.25-14.25
		GOOD	13.00-14.25	13.00-14.00	11.75-13.25	12.00-13.25
		COM-MED	9.00-13.25	9.25-13.00	8.75-12.00	9.00-12.00
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	12.00-14.00	12.25-14.25	11.75-13.75	11.50-13.75
		GOOD	11.00-13.50	11.25-13.75	10.75-13.00	10.75-13.00
		MEDIUM	9.50-13.00	10.00-13.00	9.25-11.75	9.00-12.00
COWS:		CHOICE	11.00-12.00	11.25-12.25	10.50-11.75	10.75-12.00
		GOOD	10.00-11.00	9.75-11.25	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.75
		COM-MED	8.50-10.00	8.00-9.75	8.00-9.50	8.25-9.50
		LOW CUT-CUT	6.25-8.50	6.25-8.00	5.75-8.00	6.25-8.25
BULLS: (YLG. EXC. BEEF.)		GD-CH	10.00-11.00	10.25-11.50	9.75-10.50	9.75-10.75
		CUT-MED	7.50-10.00	8.25-10.10	7.50-9.75	8.00-9.75
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	10.00-13.00	10.00-13.00	9.50-13.00	10.00-13.50
		CULL-COM	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.00	6.50-9.50	6.50-10.00
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	13.25-14.75	12.00-16.00	11.50-15.00	12.00-15.00
		MEDIUM	10.75-13.25	10.50-12.00	9.50-11.50	10.50-12.00
		CULL-COM	6.00-10.75	7.50-10.50	6.00-9.50	6.00-10.50
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.50-13.75	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.50
		COM-MED	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.75-12.00
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.25
		COM-MED	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	11.00-12.00	10.75-11.75	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		COM-MED	8.50-11.00	9.25-10.25	8.25-10.50	8.25-9.75
COWS:		GD-CH	8.50-9.25	8.50-9.25	8.25-9.25	8.00-9.00
		COM-MED	7.50-8.50	8.00-8.50	7.25-8.25	6.75-8.00
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	------------	------------	12.25-14.75	11.75-14.25
		MEDIUM	------------	------------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	------------	16.25-17.50	15.50-16.75	15.75-16.75
		MEDIUM	------------	15.25-16.25	14.50-15.50	14.50-15.75
		CULL-COM	------------	13.25-15.25	12.25-14.50	13.25-14.50
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	13.50-14.25	13.50-14.40	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.00
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	13.50-14.25	13.35-14.25	12.75-13.85	13.25-14.00
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	12.50-13.50	12.50-13.50	12.25-13.25	12.75-13.50
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	12.25-14.00	12.25-14.00	12.50-13.50	12.75-13.75
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	9.25-12.50	10.00-12.50	9.50-12.50	10.00-12.75
YEARLING WETHERS	(110# DN)	MED-CH	9.00-12.50	9.50-13.00	9.00-12.00	8.75-12.00
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	5.50-7.25	6.00-7.50	5.50-7.00	6.00-7.25
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	5.25-7.00	6.00-7.25	5.25-6.75	6.00-7.00
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	2.50-5.50	2.75-6.00	2.00-5.50	1.50-6.00

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS
DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-WEDNESDAY-MAY 8, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**2,500	**2,000	11,500	1,200
CHICAGO	7,000	4,000	12,000	11,000
KANSAS CITY	7,500	1,200	8,500	6,500
OMAHA	8,000	500	8,500	11,000
ST. JOSEPH	2,000	200	5,000	5,000
ST. PAUL	3,300	3,700	8,000	600
SIOUX CITY	2,500	200	5,500	1,500
CINCINNATI	275	550	1,900	400
INDIANAPOLIS	1,200	900	5,000	200
PITTSBURGH	25	150	1,500	300
BUFFALO	50	250	1,150	500
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	34,350	13,650	68,550	38,200
ONE WEEK AGO	32,525	13,600	91,450	52,975
ONE YEAR AGO	36,975	11,700	100,280	35,705
TO DATE THIS WEEK	116,300	44,700	267,450	143,800
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	132,200	43,150	366,150	172,650
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	116,900	36,700	281,140	128,305

**RUN INCLUDES 400 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 1,500 THROUGH; CHICAGO 2,500; KANSAS CITY 500; OMAHA 350; ST. JOSEPH NONE; SIOUX CITY 500; ST. PAUL NONE.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-TUESDAY-MAY 7, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	3,070	2,109	12,955	2,375
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	893	649	8,420	599
PACKER PURCHASES	2,332	1,179	6,197	1,803

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-WEDNESDAY-MAY 8, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P.M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 2,500 TODAY, AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 2,345 LAST WEDNESDAY, AND A TOTAL OF 2,697 BY ACTUAL COUNT THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

THE SUPPLY OF STEERS WAS MODERATE FOR THE AVERAGE WEDNESDAY OF LATE, AND QUALITY AND CONDITION OF THE OFFERINGS WERE ORDINARY, RUNNING LARGELY TO MEDIUM AND GOOD GRADES. THE MARKET ON THESE OPENED SLOWLY AND ONLY A FEW SALES WERE FOUND ON EARLY ROUNDS WHICH HAD BEEN TRANSACTED ON ABOUT A STEADY LEVEL. A BEARISH UNDERTONE HUNG OVER THE TRADE, WHICH BROKE OUT INTO DECLINES IN SPOTS LATER, PLACING THE MARKET ON AN UNEVENLY STEADY TO 15-25¢ LOWER BASIS. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS MET WITH A STEADY DEAL FOR THE MOST PART AND CHANGED HANDS QUITE READILY, A FEW LOTS EVEN APPEARING STRONG TO A SHADE HIGHER. TWO CARS OF CHOICE LIGHT HEIFERS WERE AMONG THE OFFERINGS IN THIS DIVISION, THESE BEING LIGHTER THAN THE LOAD OF $14.90 MATERIAL OF YESTERDAY BUT LACKED SOMEWHAT IN FINISH. BUTCHER COWS TURNED QUITE ACTIVELY AT UNCHANGED FIGURES, BUT THE CUTTER TRADE WAS WEAK AND LOW CUTTERS IN INSTANCES WERE 25¢ LOWER, WITH LIGHT WEIGHT SOUTHERN KINDS CARRYING SHARPLY LOWER BIDS AT THE NOON HOUR. THE LIMITED SUPPLY OF MEDIUM BULLS WERE SNAPPED UP READILY AT FULLY STEADY PRICES, WHILE THE VEALER MARKET AGAIN LOST GROUND TO THE EXTENT OF 25¢.

A SHORT LOAD OF WELL FINISHED 1291# AVERAGES REGISTERED $14.00, WHILE A LOAD OF 1066# WEIGHTS STOPPED AT $13.75, WITH THE BULK OF ALL STEERS GOING AT $12.00 TO $13.75, SOME COMMON KINDS DOWNWARD TO $11.60 OR BELOW. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS IN ODD LOTS WERE CONFINED TO THE $12.25 TO $13.75 LIMITS LARGELY, WITH TWO LOADS OF CHOICE 506 AND 593# HEIFERS RECORDING $14.65 AND $14.85 RESPECTIVELY, WHILE SMALL LOTS OF LIGHTWEIGHT CHOICE MIXED MATERIAL REGISTERED $15.00 AND $15.25. INDIVIDUAL CHOICE COWS SOLD UPWARD TO $12.00, BUT FOR THE RANK AND FILE OF THE BUTCHER COWS THE $9.00 TO $10.50 TERMS RULED. LOW CUTTERS CLEARED LARGELY FROM $6.00 TO $7.00, SOME LIGHTWEIGHT SHELLY MATERIAL DOWNWARD TO $5.75 OR BELOW. WEIGHTY MEDIUM BULLS WENT AT $10.00 DOWNWARD, WHILE GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WENT TO PACKERS AND SHIPPERS AT $14.50.

HOGS: A BROAD SHIPPING OUTLET AND DECREASED RECEIPTS OF HOGS RESULTED IN ADVANCING PRICES. MOST SALES REFLECTED A FULL 25¢ UPTURN FROM THE AVERAGE OF TUESDAY WITH ALL CLASSES AND GRADES EXCEPT PACKING SOWS SHARING THE UPTURN. AFTER A SLOW OPENING CONSIDERABLE ACTIVITY DEVELOPED AND MOST OF THE SUPPLIES SOLD TO SHIPPERS AND BUTCHERS. PACKERS WERE BEARISH AND SOME LATE ARRIVALS FOUND ORDERS PRACTICALLY FILLED AND A SLOW CLOSE WAS REPORTED. ORDER BUYERS PAID UP TO WITHIN A DIME OF THE TOP FOR A FEW LOADS ON LATE ROUNDS WHILE OCCASIONAL LOADS RECEIVED LOWER BIDS AND WENT OVER UNSOLD. PACKING SOWS ADVANCED MOSTLY 10-15¢. RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 11,500 INCLUDING 1,500 BILLED THROUGH COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 10,932 LAST WEDNESDAY AND 14,868 A YEAR AGO. TOTAL AT ELEVEN POINTS WAS 25% UNDER LAST WEDNESDAY'S TOTAL.

PRACTICAL TOP PRICE WAS $11.40 PAID QUITE FREELY UNTIL THE CLOSE WHEN NOTHING WAS ABLE TO PASS $11.35. ONE LOAD OF 203# WEIGHTS SOLD EARLY AT $11.45 BUT WAS NOT REPORTED UNTIL LATE. BULK OF 130-240# WEIGHTS CASHED AT $11.30 TO $11.40. SEVERAL LOADS OF 240-260# BUTCHERS MOVED AT $11.25 TO $11.30, AN OCCASIONAL LOAD OF CHOICE KINDS UP TO $11.35. A FEW 270-280# AVERAGES SOLD DOWN TO $11.20. MOST 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS PASSED THROUGH A SPREAD OF $10.50 TO $11.25 WITH 90-130# PIGS AT $9.00 TO $10.50, A FEW CHOICE ONE THIRTIES UP TO $10.75. BULK OF PACKING SOWS SCORED $9.90 TO $10.00, AN OCCASIONAL LOT OF SORTED SMOOTH SOWS AT $10.10 AND SEVERAL ROUGH HEAVY DESCRIPTIONS DOWN TO $9.75.

SHEEP: SHEEP AND LAMB RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 1,200 TODAY AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL MARKETINGS OF 3,685 LAST WEDNESDAY AND 1,236 CORRESPONDING DAY A YEAR AGO. MOST OF TODAY'S SUPPLIES WERE BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT, LEAVING ON SALE ONLY ONE STRAIGHT LOAD OF CLIPPED LAMBS AND SEVERAL ODD LOTS IN ADDITION TO A MODERATE NUMBER OF LAMBS AND SHEEP FROM A LOCAL FEEDLOT. PACKERS BOUGHT MOST OF THE SUPPLIES. LAMBS SOLD STEADY TO A SHADE LOWER WHEN THE QUALITY OF THE AVERAGE RUN WAS CONSIDERED. SHEEP WERE SLOW AND UNEVEN, AND WHILE ODD HEAD OF EWES SOLD STEADY, SEVERAL SALES WERE REPORTED AT A DECLINE OF 25 TO AS MUCH AS 50¢. A DOUBLE DECK OF NEAR CHOICE 86# CLIPPED LAMBS WENT TO A PACKER AT $14.25, A SMALL LOT EARNING $14.00, AND A PART LOAD GRADING MEDIUM TO GOOD AT $13.50. CULLS WERE SALABLE AROUND $10.00 TO $11.00. MOST OF THE ODD LOTS OF SHORN EWES CASHED AT $6.00 TO $6.50, A FEW UP TO $7.00. EIGHTY THREE HEAD OF AGED WETHERS AVERAGING 99# EARNED $8.00 WITH A SIZABLE BUNCH OF 97# TWO-YEAR-OLD WETHERS AT $10.00 AND 34 YEARLINGS AT $12.00. CITY BUTCHERS PAID FROM $16.00 TO $18.00 FOR ODD HEAD OF SPRING LAMBS, LATTER PRICE TAKING A FEW SPECIALTIES.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: GOOD & CHOICE LIGHT STEERS & YLGS. STEADY; OTHERS SLOW, WEAK; SHE STOCK AND BULLS STEADY; VEALS WEAK TO 50¢ LOWER; BULK FED STEERS & YLGS. $12.75-13.85; SEVERAL LOADS $14.00-14.25; LIGHT MIXED YLGS. $14.50; HEIFERS UP TO $14.15; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00-10.75; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.75-8.25; MEDIUM BULLS $8.25-9.75; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $14.00; GOOD HEAVY CALVES MOSTLY $12.00-12.50.

HOGS: SLOW, OPENED 10-15¢ HIGHER, CLOSING WITH ADVANCE LOST; TOP $10.85 ON CHOICE 240# BUTCHERS; BULK 190-250# BUTCHERS $10.50-10.75; BULK 250-320# BUTCHERS $10.15 TO $10.50; 150-190# SELECTIONS $9.75-10.65; PACKING SOWS $9.50-9.75.

SHEEP: LAMBS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; SHEEP DULL, WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; FEEDERS STRONG; EARLY SALES CALIFORNIA SPRING LAMBS $17.00; FED WOOLED LAMBS $15.25; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $13.85 TO $14.25; SHORN EWES $6.85 DOWN.

5-8-29 ACA 2:30 P.M. - SEE OTHER SIDE -

-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- NOT ENOUGH DONE TO MAKE A MARKET; FEW EARLY SALES CHOICE LIGHT YEARLINGS STEADY, OTHERS WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; BIDDING UNEVENLY LOWER ON MEDIUM WEIGHT AND WEIGHTY FED STEERS WITH SIZABLE SUPPLY INBETWEEN GRADES IN DAY'S CROP; SHE STOCK STEADY TO WEAK; BEST WEIGHTY SAUSAGE BULLS ABOUT STEADY, OTHERS 10 TO 15¢ LOWER; VEALERS 50¢ TO $1.00OFF; EARLY TOP LONG YEARLINGS $14.75, FEW EARLY SALES $13.25 TO $14.25; STRICTLY CHOICE MEDIUM WEIGHT STEERS HELD ABOVE $15.00; COUNTRY DEMAND STOCKERS AND FEEDERS VERY SLOW; LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT MEDIUM BULLS $9.00 TO $9.75, OUTSTANDING OFFERINGS UP TO $10.15 AND BETTER; TALKING $11.50 TO $12.50 ON LIGHT VEALERS, SHIPPERS $15.00 TO $16.00.

HOGS:- SLOW, 10 TO 15¢, MOSTLY 10¢ HIGHER ON HOGS SCALING OVER 160-LBS.; LIGHTER WEIGHTS 15 TO 25¢ LOWER; TOP $11.5 PAID FOR AN OCCASIONAL LOAD OF AROUND 200-LB. WEIGHTS; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 160 TO 230-LB. AVERAGES $11.20 TO $11.40, A FEW LOADS AT $11.45; MEDIUM QUALITY SORTS DOWN TO $10.75; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 240 TO 300-LB. AVERAGES $11.00 TO $11.25; FEW LOADS BIG WEIGHT BUCHERS DOWN TO $10.65; DESIRABLE 130 TO 150-LB. WEIGHTS MOSTLY $10.50 TO $11.10; PIGS LARGELY $9.50 TO $10.25; BULK PACKING SOWS $9.75 TO $10.10, FEW UP TO $10.25.

SHEEP:- ACTIVE, STEADY TO STRONG WITH TUESDAY'S AVERAGE; GOOD TO CHOICE 88 TO 92-LB. WOOLSKINS $15.50 TO $15.75, SOME HELD AROUND $16.00; FEW MEDIUM TO GOOD CLIPPED LAMBS $13.50 TO $14.00; NO CALIFORNIA SPRINGERS HERE, FEW NATIVES $16.50 TO $17.50; SHEEP WEAK TO LOWER; FEW WOOLED EWES $7.00 TO $8.00; GOOD WEIGHTY CLIPPED EWES $6.00; FEEDING AND SHEARING LAMBS NOMINAL.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS OPENING SLOW, UNEVENLY STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER; QUALITY CONSIDERABLY IMPROVED ON LIGHT WEIGHT STEERS AND YEARLINGS; SLAUGHTER COWS STEADY TO EASIER; BULLS 15 TO 25¢ LOWER; VEALERS 50¢ LOWER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS MOSTLY STEADY; CHOICE 970-LB. YEARLING STEERS $14.60; STRICTLY CHOICE LIGHT MIXED YEARLINGS HELD HIGHER;SEVERAL LOADS CHOICE 1000 TO 1150-LB. STEERS EARLY $14.00 TO $14.25; BULK FED STEERS ELIGIBLE TO SELL AROUND $12.75 TO $14.00; HIGHLY FINISHED HEAVY STEERS LACKING; FAT LIGHT YEARLINGS $12.75 TO $13.75; BULK BUTCHER COWS $8.75 TO $10.50; MEDIUM BULLS $9.00 TO $9.50; GOOD TO CHOICE VEALERS $11.00 TO $13.50, FEW $14.00.

HOGS:- MODERATELY ACTIVE TO SHIPPERS; 10 TO 15¢ HIGHER THAN TUESDAY'S AVERAGE; LIGHT LIGHTS 20 TO 30¢ HIGHER; BIG PACKERS INACTIVE; TOP $10.90 ON CHOICE 160 TO 230-LBS.; BULK GOOD AND CHOICE 150 TO 270-LBS. $10.70 TO $10.90, LIGHTER WEIGHTS DOWN TO $10.40; A FEW 270 TO 325-LBS. $10.40 TO $10.65; PACKING SOWS STEADY, $9.25 TO $9.75; STOCK PIGS STEADY, $9.50 TO $10.50.

SHEEP:- ALL KILLING CLASSES FAIRLY ACTIVE; MOSTLY 10 TO 15¢ HIGHER; SPOTS 25¢ HIGHER ON SPRINGERS TO SHIPPERS; CHOICE ARIZONA SPRINGERS $16.90 TO SHIPPERS, OTHERS $16.00 $16.60; BEST WOOLSKINS $15.40; CLIPPERS $13.40 TO $14.15; SHORN YEARLINGS $11.25; SHORN TWO-YEAR-OLD WETHERS $9.25; AGED WETHERS $7.50.

HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$11.00-11.30	$10.65-11.25	$10.35-10.75	$ 9.90-10.65
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	11.10-11.40	10.75-11.50	10.65-10.90	10.00-10.85
LT. WTS.	(150-200#)	MED-CH	10.75-11.40	10.25-11.50	10.65-10.90	9.75-10.75
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.50-11.35	9.85-11.25	10.40-10.90	9.50-10.35
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.60-10.10	9.50-10.25	8.50- 9.75	9.25- 9.75
SLAUGHTERPIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	9.00-10.75	9.25-10.60	9.25-10.50	----------
FDR &STKR.PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	8.75-10.75	----------	9.25-10.50	8.75- 9.75
AV. COST & WT. TUES.(PIGS EXC)			11.00-208#	11.03-234#	10.47-226#	10.30-252#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	----------	13.25-14.50	----------	----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.50	14.00-14.75	13.50-14.25	13.50-14.25
		GOOD	12.75-13.75	13.25-14.10	12.75-13.50	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.75	14.00-15.00	13.50-14.50	13.60-14.60
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.00	12.75-13.60	12.75-13.60
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.25-15.00	13.60-14.75	13.75-14.60
		GOOD	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.25	13.00-13.75	13.00-13.75
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	12.00-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.00
		COMMON	9.75-12.25	10.50-12.50	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.00
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.25-15.00	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.25-14.25	13.75-14.25	13.00-13.75	13.00-13.75
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.00-14.75	13.00-14.25	13.25-14.25
		GOOD	13.00-14.25	13.00-14.00	11.75-13.25	12.00-13.25
		COM-MED	9.00-13.25	9.25-13.00	8.75-12.00	9.00-12.00
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	12.00-14.00	12.25-14.25	11.75-13.75	11.50-13.75
		GOOD	11.00-13.50	11.25-13.75	10.75-13.00	10.75-13.00
		MEDIUM	9.50-13.00	10.00-13.00	9.25-11.75	9.00-12.00
COWS:		CHOICE	11.00-12.00	11.25-12.25	10.75-12.00	10.75-12.00
		GOOD	10.00-11.00	9.75-11.25	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.75
		COM-MED	8.50-10.00	8.00- 9.75	8.00- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
		LOW CUT-CUT	5.75- 8.50	6.25- 8.00	6.00- 8.00	6.25- 8.25
BULLS: (YLG.EXC.BEEF.)		GD-CH	10.00-11.00	10.25-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		CUT-MED	7.50-10.00	8.25-10.15	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	10.00-13.00	10.00-13.00	9.50-13.00	10.00-13.00
		CULL-COM	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.00	6.50- 9.50	6.50-10.00
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	13.00-14.50	11.00-16.00	10.50-14.00	11.50-14.50
		MEDIUM	10.50-13.00	10.00-11.00	9.00-10.50	10.00-11.50
		CULL-COM	6.00-10.50	7.50-10.00	6.00- 9.00	6.00-10.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.50-13.50	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.50
		COM-MED	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.75-12.00
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.25
		COM-MED	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	11.00-12.00	10.25-11.75	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		COM-MED	8.50-11.00	9.25-10.25	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
COWS:		GD-CH	8.50- 9.25	8.75- 9.40	8.25- 9.25	8.00- 9.00
		COM-MED	7.50- 8.50	8.25- 8.75	7.25- 8.25	6.75- 8.00
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	----------	----------	12.25-14.75	11.75-14.25
		MEDIUM	----------	----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	----------	16.25-17.50	15.75-16.90	16.00-17.00
		MEDIUM	----------	15.25-16.25	14.50-15.75	14.75-16.00
		CULL-COM	----------	13.25-15.25	12.25-14.50	13.50-14.75
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	13.50-14.25	13.75-14.75	13.25-14.15	13.75-14.25
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	13.50-14.25	13.50-14.50	12.75-14.00	13.50-14.25
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	12.50-13.50	12.50-13.75	12.25-13.25	12.75-13.75
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	12.25-14.00	12.25-14.50	12.50-13.65	12.75-13.85
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	9.25-12.50	10.00-12.50	9.00-12.50	10.00-12.75
YEARLING WETHERS	(110#DN)	MED-CH	9.00-12.50	9.50-13.00	9.00-12.00	8.75-12.00
	(120# DN)	MED-CH	5.50- 7.00	5.75- 7.00	5.50- 7.00	6.00- 7.00
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	5.25- 6.75	5.75- 6.75	5.25- 6.75	6.00- 6.75
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	2.25- 5.50	2.50- 5.75	2.00- 5.50	1.50- 6.00

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-THURSDAY-MAY 9, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**2,000	**1,500	16,000	1,800
CHICAGO	8,000	4,000	16,000	15,000
KANSAS CITY	2,000	300	8,000	5,500
OMAHA	3,500	300	9,000	9,000
ST. JOSEPH	1,000	200	5,000	6,000
ST. PAUL	2,200	1,800	5,000	100
SIOUX CITY	2,500	200	5,500	2,000
CINCINNATI	350	350	3,300	125
INDIANAPOLIS	600	700	5,000	200
PITTSBURGH	- -	500	2,300	1,000
BUFFALO	50	200	350	300
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	22,200	10,650	75,450	41,025
ONE WEEK AGO	12,800	11,625	61,380	39,550
ONE YEAR AGO	23,000	10,450	96,950	41,300
TO DATE THIS WEEK	139,500	55,350	342,900	184,825
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	151,000	54,775	427,550	212,200
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	139,960	47,150	378,090	169,605

**RUN INCLUDES 750 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 2,500 THROUGH AND 500 DIRECT; CHICAGO 2,500; KANSAS CITY 225; OMAHA 800; ST. JOSEPH 150; SIOUX CITY 300; ST. PAUL NONE.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-WEDNESDAY-MAY 8, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	2,309	1,839	12,175	1,320
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	307	861	6,574	- -
PACKER PURCHASES	2,257	1,196	2,302	806

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-THURSDAY-MAY 9, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00PM)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 2,000 TODAY, AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 1,173 LAST THURSDAY, AND TOTAL UNLOADINGS OF 1,606 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

WITH A PART OF THE ESTIMATED RECEIPTS IN ON THROUGH BILLING, AND A LIBERAL SHARE OF THE CONSIGNMENTS LATE IN ARRIVING, THE SALABLE SUPPLY ON EARLY ROUNDS WAS VERY MEAGER INDEED. LATER ON SEVERAL LOADS OF STEERS, MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS ARRIVED, MOST OF THE LATTER CLASSES BEING SUFFICIENTLY WELL FINISHED TO GRADE GOOD AND CHOICE. AMONG THE STEER OFFERINGS WERE A FEW LOADS AND SMALL LOTS OF GOOD STEERS, WITH OTHERS GRADUATING DOWN TO PLAIN COMMON KINDS, LIGHTWEIGHT MEDIUM GRADES PREDOMINATING. THERE WAS VERY LITTLE CHANGE TO THE MARKET ON ANY OF THE MAJOR KILLING GROUPS, ALTHOUGH A FEW SPOTS IN THE TRADE APPEARED SOMEWHAT STRONGER. WITH THE EXCEPTION OF LIGHTWEIGHT LOW CUTTERS, WHICH WERE IN POOR DEMAND AND RECEIVING SHARPLY LOWER BIDS (AS MUCH AS $1.00 LOWER THAN A WEEK OR TEN DAYS AGO), OTHER CLASSES RECEIVED FAIRLY GOOD ACTION AND A RATHER COMPLETE CLEARANCE HAD BEEN EFFECTED WELL BEFORE THE NOON HOUR. PRICES ON BEST WEIGHTY MEDIUM BULLS HAVE STRENGTHENED DURING THE WEEK, AND STILL SHOWED THE EFFECTS OF THE STRENGTH TODAY EARLY. THE LATE DEMAND FOR BULLS WAS SHOWING A SLACKENING TENDENCY. VEALERS HELD TO AN ENTIRELY STEADY DEAL FOR THE FIRST TIME THIS WEEK.

WHILE A FEW PART LOADS OF 973 TO 1036# STEERS COMMANDED THE $14.00 TO MS THE TOP ON A LOAD AVERAGING 1117# STOPPED AT $13.[illegible], WITH THE BULK FROM THIS PRICE DOWNWARD TO $12.35, SOME COMMON KINDS $11.40 OR BELOW. SEVERAL LOADS OF MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS REGISTERED $14.65 AND $14.75, AMONG THESE BEING A LOAD OF STRAIGHT 697# HEIFERS AT THE FORMER AND A LOAD OF 615# WEIGHTS AT THE LATTER FIGURE. ODD LOTS CLEARED LARGELY AT $12.25 TO $14.00, TWO LOADS MIXED AT $13.[illegible] AND $14.20. MOST OF THE COWS CLEARED AT $8.00 TO $10.75, LOW CUTTERS $5.75 TO $7.00 AND SOME LIGHTWEIGHTS DOWN TO $5.25 OR BELOW. THE PRACTICAL TOP ON MEDIUM BULLS WAS $10.00, A FEW $10.25, WITH BUTCHER KINDS FROM THE LATTER PRICE UPWARD TO $10.75 OR MORE. GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WENT TO PACKERS AND SHIPPERS AT $14.50 FOR THE TOP AND BULK.

HOGS: AFTER AN OPENING AT STEADY PRICES TODAY, HOG TRADE HAD A CONTINUAL DOWNWARD TREND WITH CLOSING ROUNDS SHOWING A FULL 25¢ DECLINE. EARLY SALES WERE MADE ON THE ACCOUNT OF SHIPPERS AND BUTCHERS BUT WITH IMMEDIATE ORDERS FILLED AND A LIBERAL NUMBER STILL IN FIRST HANDS ALL INTERESTS BECAME BEARISH, PACKERS BIDDING SHARPLY LOWER. A LIBERAL NUMBER SOLD AT A DECLINE OF AROUND 15¢ AND QUITE NUMEROUS LOADS WERE FORCED TO SELL AT THE EXTREME REDUCTION, CLEARANCE AT A LATE HOUR BEING STILL INCOMPLETE. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS FOUND AN ACTIVE CALL AT STEADY PRICES AND A PRACTICALLY COMPLETE CLEARANCE OF THESE WAS EFFECTED EARLY. PACKING SOWS SHARED THE BUTCHER DECLINES, CLOSING TRADE BEING VERY SLOW AT THE FULL LOSS. RECEIPTS HERE WERE ESTIMATED AT 16,000 HEAD INCLUDING 3,000 BILLED THROUGH COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 13,343 LAST THURSDAY AND 14,976 A YEAR AGO.

MOST EARLY SALES OF 160-260# HOGS WERE MADE WITHIN A SPREAD OF $11.25 TO $11.35, THE TOP PRICE, $11.40, BEING PAID FOR SEVERAL LOADS OF CHOICE OFFERINGS. AROUND MID-SESSION SEVERAL LOADS WITHIN THE ABOVE WEIGHT SPREAD CASHED AT $11.15 TO $11.25. AT THE CLOSE, PACKERS PURCHASED SEVERAL LOADS OF DESIRABLE 190-240# HOGS AT $11.10, OCCASIONAL LOADS OF WEIGHTIER DESCRIPTIONS OR PLAINER GRADE MEDIUM WEIGHTS DOWN TO $11.00. A FEW SALES OF BETTER LIGHT HOGS WERE MADE LATE AT $11.15. MAJORITY OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS REALIZED $10.50 TO $11.00, A FEW ONE FIFTIES UP TO $11.[illegible]. BULK OF 90-130# PIGS MOVED AT $9.00 TO $10.75 ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY. EARLY SALES OF PACKING SOWS WERE MADE AT $9.75 TO $10.00 WITH LATE SALES FROM $9.75 DOWNWARD.

SHEEP: SHEEP RECEIPTS TODAY WERE ESTIMATED AT 1,800 HEAD COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 417 LAST THURSDAY AND 1,030 CORRESPONDING DAY A YEAR AGO. A LIBERAL PROPORTION OF THE SUPPLIES WERE BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT, SALABLE SUPPLIES COMPRISING THREE DECKS OF CLIPPED LAMBS AND SEVERAL ODD LOTS OF FAT EWES AND SPRING LAMBS. THE CLIPPED LAMBS SOLD ABOUT STEADY, WHILE PACKERS WERE ABLE TO ENFORCE 25 TO 50¢ REDUCTIONS IN THE FAT EWE CLASS. BULK OF SHORN LAMBS SOLD TO PACKERS AT $14.00 TO $14.25, SOME LESS DESIRABLE KINDS EARNING $13.75. PACKERS PURCHASED SEVERAL ODD LOTS OF SPRING LAMBS AT $16.50 TO $17.25, CITY BUTCHERS PAYING UP TO $17.50. MOST OF THE SUPPLIES OF SHORN EWES CASHED AT $5.50 TO $6.50, THE PRICE VARYING ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY OF THE INDIVIDUAL LOT.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: FED STEERS & YLGS. UNEVEN; GOOD & CHOICE LIGHT STEERS & YLGS. FULLY STEADY; OTHERS SLOW; STEADY TO WEAK; SHE STOCK STEADY; BULLS WEAK; VEALS & CALVES WEAK TO 50¢ LOWER; STOCKERS & FEEDERS SCARCE, NOMINALLY STEADY; FED STEERS & YEARLINGS $12.75 TO $14.00; LIGHT STEERS $14.15; CHOICE 1033# $14.60; HEIFERS MOSTLY $12.00-13.50; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00-10.75; CHOICE LOTS $11.00-12.00; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.75-8.25; MEDIUM BULLS $9.00-9.50; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $13.50; FEW CHOICE LOTS TO INDEPENDENTS $14.00-15.00

HOGS: STEADY TO STRONG; TOP $10.85 ON 210-230#; BULK 190-260# $10.50-10.75; BULK 260-320# $10.25-10.50; BIG WEIGHT BUTCHERS 375# AVERAGE $10.15; 150-190# SELECTIONS $9.75 TO $10.65; PACKING SOWS AND STAGS $9.50 TO $9.75.

SHEEP: ALL CLASSES GENERALLY STEADY; CLIPPED LAMBS SLOW; CALIFORNIA SPRING LAMBS $15.50 TO $16.75; NO STRICTLY CHOICE GRADE INCLUDED; FED WOOLED LAMBS UP TO [illegible]; NO CLIPPED LAMBS SOLD; SHORN EWES $7.00 DOWN; CALIFORNIA FEEDING LAMBS UP TO $14.00; SHEARING LAMBS UP TO $14.70; TWO CARS CALIFORNIA FEEDING YEARLINGS AT $10.00, AVERAGE 73#.

5-9-29 ACA 2:30 P.M. - SEE OTHER SIDE -

:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, THURSDAY, MAY 9, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS STEADY TO 25¢ HIGHER, MOSTLY STRONG TO 15¢ UP; TRADE FAIRLY ACTIVE; LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT STEERS SHOWING MOST ADVANCE; KILLING QUALITY MEDIUM TO GOOD; BETTER GRADE FAT SHE STOCK AND HEIFERS STRONG; COMMON FAT COWS AND CUTTERS DULL; BULLS ABOUT STEADY WITH WEEK'S 25¢ DECLINE; BIDDING $1.00 LOWER ON VEALERS; PART LOAD LIGHT YEARLINGS $14.75; FEW LOADS $14.40 TO $14.60, LIGHT HEIFERS AT INSIDE PRICE; MOST STEER SALES $12.75 TO $14.00, SEVERAL LOTS $14.00 TO $14.35 AND COMMON KINDS DOWN TO $12.00; LOW CUTTER COWS $6.00 TO $6.50, STRONG WEIGHTS STOPPING AROUND $7.75; HEAVY KOSHER COWS UP TO $12.00; PRACTICAL TOP WEIGHTY SAUSAGE BULLS $10.00, MOST OFFERINGS $9.00 TO $9.75; BIDDING $10.50 TO $12.00 ON 95 TO 115-LB. VEALERS, CHOICE SHIPPER KINDS STOPPING AT $15.00.

HOGS:- MOSTLY 10 TO 15¢ HIGHER; SLOW AT ADVANCE; A NUMBER OF LOADS OF HEAVY BUTCHERS UNSOLD; TOP $11.70 PAID FOR A LOAD OF 221-LB. WEIGHTS; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 160 230-LB. AVERAGES $11.35 TO $11.60; 240 TO 290-LB. WEIGHTS $11.15 TO $11.40; STRICTLY CHOICE AROUND 340-LB. AVERAGES AT $10.85; BULK OF BETTER GRADE 130 TO 150-LB. WEIGHTS $10.75 TO $11.40; PIGS MOSTLY $9.75 TO $10.75; BULK PACKING SOWS $10.00 TO $10.25, SMOOTH LIGHT WEIGHTS UP TO $10.40.

SHEEP:- FAIRLY ACTIVE, STEADY TO STRONG; EARLY SALES GOOD TO CHOICE 86 TO 93-LB. WOOLSKINS $15.85 TO $16.00; FEW LOADS GOOD TO CHOICE 80 TO 93-LB. SHORN LAMBS $14.50 TO $14.75, CHOICE LOAD $14.85; FEW SHORN THROWOUTS $10.00 TO $11.50; SCATTERING NATIVE SPRINGERS $17.50 DOWN; SHEEP WEAK; FEW FAT SHORN EWES $6.50 DOWN; FEEDING AND SHEARING LAMBS NOMINAL; SHORT LOAD PLAIN WESTERN FEEDING LAMBS UNSOLD.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00A.M.

CATTLE:- FED STEER TRADE VERY SLOW; ASKING PRICES FULLY STEADY; DESIRABLE LIGHT WEIGHTS SCARCE; LIBERAL QUOTA GOOD TO CHOICE 1150 TO 1300-LB. WEIGHTS OFFERED; INBETWEEN GRADE LIGHT YEARLINGS SLOW, WEAK; SLAUGHTER COWS SLOW, AROUND STEADY; BULLS UNCHANGED; VEALERS WEAK TO 50¢ LOWER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS SLOW, STEADY; SUPPLY IN DEALERS PENS LIGHT TO MODERATE; BULK FED STEERS ELIGIBLE TO SELL AROUND $12.50 TO $14.00; FEW LIGHT YEARLINGS $12.50 TO $13.35; BUTCHER COWS $8.75 TO $10.50; VEALERS MOSTLY $13.00 DOWN; VERY FEW SELECTED KINDS $13.50.

HOGS:- VERY SLOW AND UNEVEN; OPENED STEADY WITH WEDNESDAY'S BEST TIME; NOW AROUND 10¢ LOWER THAN EARLY OR STEADY WITH WEDNESDAY'S AVERAGE; TOP $10.95 ON ONE LOAD 200-LBS.; BULK EARLY SALES DESIRABLE 150 TO 250-LBS. $10.65 TO $10.90; LIGHTER WEIGHTS DOWN TO $10.45 AND BELOW; 250 TO 300-LBS. $10.40 TO $10.75; PACKING SOWS $9.25 TO $9.75; STOCK PIGS $9.50 TO $10.60.

SHEEP:- SLOW; LAMBS MOSTLY STEADY; ARIZONA SPRINGERS $16.35 TO $16.90; CALIFORNIA SPRINGERS $16.50; SHORN LAMBS $13.50 TO $14.15; NO WOOL-SKINS SOLD; SHEEP SCARCE, STEADY.

HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$10.80-11.10	$10.75-11.40	$10.35-10.75	$ 9.90-10.75
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	10.90-11.15	10.85-11.70	10.65-10.90	10.00-10.85
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	10.75-11.15	10.40-11.65	10.65-10.90	9.75-10.75
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.50-11.15	10.00-11.50	10.40-10.90	9.50-10.40
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.40- 9.85	9.65-10.40	8.50- 9.75	9.25- 9.75
SLAUGHTER PIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	9.00-10.75	9.25-10.85	9.35-10.60	----------
FDR & STKR. PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	8.75-10.75	----------	9.25-10.60	8.75- 9.75
AV. COST & WT. WED. (PIGS EXC)			11.27-212#	11.07-254#	10.62-227#	10.37-251#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	----------	13.25-14.50	----------	----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.50	14.00-14.75	13.35-14.25	13.50-14.00
		GOOD	12.75-13.75	13.25-14.00	12.50-13.35	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.75	14.00-15.00	13.35-14.35	13.60-14.60
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.00	12.75-13.60	12.75-13.60
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.25-15.00	13.60-14.75	13.75-14.60
		GOOD	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.25	13.00-13.75	13.00-13.75
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	12.00-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.00
		COMMON	9.75-12.25	10.75-12.75	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.00
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.25-15.00	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.25-14.25	13.75-14.25	13.00-13.75	13.00-13.75
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.00-14.75	13.00-14.25	13.25-14.25
		GOOD	13.00-14.25	13.00-14.00	11.75-13.25	12.00-13.25
		COM-MED	9.00-13.25	9.25-13.00	8.75-12.00	9.00-12.00
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	12.00-14.00	12.25-14.25	11.75-13.75	11.50-13.75
		GOOD	11.00-13.50	11.25-13.75	10.75-13.00	10.75-13.00
		MEDIUM	9.50-13.00	10.00-13.00	9.25-11.75	9.00-12.00
COWS:		CHOICE	11.25-12.25	11.25-12.25	10.75-12.00	10.75-12.00
		GOOD	10.00-11.25	9.75-11.25	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.75
		COM-MED	8.50-10.00	7.75- 9.75	8.00- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
		LOW CUT-CUT	5.25- 8.50	6.00- 7.75	6.00- 8.00	6.25- 8.25
BULLS: (YLG.EXC.BEEF)		GD-CH	10.25-11.25	10.25-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		CUT-MED	7.50-10.25	8.25-10.15	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	10.00-13.00	10.00-13.00	9.50-13.00	10.00-12.50
		CULL-COM	6.50-10.00	7.00-10.00	6.50- 9.50	6.50-10.00
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	13.00-14.50	10.50-15.00	10.50-13.50	11.00-14.00
		MEDIUM	10.50-13.00	9.50-10.50	9.00-10.50	10.00-11.00
		CULL-COM	6.00-10.50	7.50- 9.50	6.00- 9.00	6.00-10.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.50-13.50	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.50
		COM-MED	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.75-12.00
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.25
		COM-MED	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	11.00-12.00	10.25-11.75	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		COM-MED	8.50-11.00	9.25-10.25	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
COWS:		GD-CH	8.50- 9.25	8.75- 9.40	8.25- 9.25	8.00- 9.00
		COM-MED	7.25- 8.50	8.25- 8.75	7.25- 8.25	6.75- 8.00
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	----------	----------	12.25-14.75	11.75-14.25
		MEDIUM	----------	----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS: ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.						
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	----------	16.25-17.50	15.75-16.90	16.00-17.00
		MEDIUM	----------	15.25-16.25	14.50-15.75	14.75-16.00
		CULL-COM	----------	13.25-15.25	12.25-14.50	13.50-14.75
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	13.50-14.25	14.00-14.85	13.25-14.15	13.75-14.25
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	13.50-14.25	13.75-14.75	12.75-14.00	13.50-14.25
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	12.50-13.50	12.50-14.00	12.25-13.25	12.75-13.75
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	12.25-14.00	12.25-14.60	12.50-13.65	12.75-13.85
	(ALL WTS)	CULL-COM	9.25-12.50	10.00-12.50	9.00-12.50	10.00-12.75
YEARLING WETHERS	(110# DN)	MED-CH	9.00-12.50	9.50-13.00	9.00-12.00	8.75-12.00
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	5.25- 6.50	5.75- 7.00	5.50- 7.00	6.00- 7.00
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	5.25- 6.50	5.75- 6.75	5.25- 6.75	6.00- 6.75
	(ALL WTS)	CULL-COM	2.00- 5.25	2.50- 5.75	2.00- 5.50	1.50- 6.00

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS.

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-FRIDAY-MAY 10, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**1,000	**800	13,500	1,000
CHICAGO	1,500	1,000	13,000	10,000
KANSAS CITY	600	200	5,500	2,500
OMAHA	1,000	100	8,500	6,500
ST. JOSEPH	250	50	4,000	4,000
ST. PAUL	1,800	2,000	5,000	700
SIOUX CITY	1,000	100	9,000	10,000
CINCINNATI	200	300	1,900	125
INDIANAPOLIS	400	600	5,000	200
PITTSBURGH	25	100	2,100	750
BUFFALO	50	625	1,925	1,600
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	7,825	5,875	69,425	37,375
ONE WEEK AGO	7,000	6,050	69,850	29,800
ONE YEAR AGO	8,635	5,500	73,320	32,200
TO DATE THIS WEEK	146,325	61,225	412,325	222,200
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	158,000	60,825	497,380	242,000
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	148,595	52,650	451,410	201,805

**RUN INCLUDES 500 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 1,500 THROUGH; CHICAGO 2,500; KANSAS CITY 150; OMAHA 400; ST. JOSEPH 400; SIOUX CITY 600; ST. PAUL NONE.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-THURSDAY-MAY 9, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	1,785	1,503	17,601	1,417
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	581	1,182	10,571	276
PACKER PURCHASES	1,519	527	6,068	759

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-FRIDAY-MAY 10, 1929.

(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 PM)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 1,000 TODAY, AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 454 LAST FRIDAY, AND 520 THE CORRESPONDING DAY A YEAR AGO.

ALTHOUGH ESTIMATED RECEIPTS INCLUDED SOME LOADS IN ON THROUGH BILLING THERE WERE A CONSIDERABLE NUMBER OF LOADS OF STEERS, MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS WHICH DRIFTED IN AS THE SALABLE SUPPLY. IT WAS THE REGULAR FRIDAY SESSION WHICH RULED AND BUYERS WERE NOT VERY ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT TAKING ON ADDITIONAL SUPPLIES. AS A RESULT THE MARKET WAS SLOW, WITH STEERS FINALLY TURNING ON A STEADY TO WEAK BASIS, WITH HERE AND THERE A FEW PRICE CONCESSIONS NECESSARY TO EFFECT A CLEARANCE. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS WERE GIVEN A PLACE AT THE FAR END OF THE BUYER'S RECEPTION LINE AND AT THE NOON HOUR SOME WERE STILL IN FIRST HANDS SEEKING A BUYER. ON SALES WHICH HAD BEEN CONSUMMATED THE DEALS LOOKED WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER, BUT AS USUAL AT THE CLOSE OF THE WEEK THIS COULD SCARCELY BE TAKEN AS A CRITERION OF GENERAL MARKET CONDITIONS. GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS SOLD EARLY AT 25¢ BELOW THE PRICES OF YESTERDAY, BUT ON LATER ROUNDS SOME DROVES WERE FOUND TO BE 50¢ LOWER, PLACING THE BULK OF THE CROP TO PACKERS AT $14.00 AND $14.25. OTHER CLASSES WERE VERY SCARCE AND ABOUT STEADY.

A LOAD OF STEERS AVERAGING 1040# REACHED A TOP OF $14.25, WHILE SEVERAL LOADS, INCLUDING THE BULK OF MEDIUM AND GOOD STEERS CLEARED AT $12.75 TO $13.75, THESE BEING MOSTLY LIGHTWEIGHTS. ONE LOAD OF HEIFERS ON THE MEDIUM ORDER WENT AT $13.00, WHILE ODD LOTS TURNED AT $12.00 TO $13.25 OR BETTER. MOST COWS EARNED $9.00 TO $10.75, A FEW LOW CUTTERS $5.75 TO $7.00, SOME LIGHTWEIGHT "SHELLY" KINDS UNSALABLE AROUND $5.00. A FEW MEDIUM BULLS SOLD DOWNWARD FROM $10.00.

HOGS: AFTER A SLOW OPENING AT A DECLINE OF 25-30¢ FROM THE HIGH TIME OF THURSDAY, HOG TRADE DEVELOPED CONSIDERABLE ACTIVITY WITH PRICES ADVANCING AS THE SESSION PROGRESSED. ALL INTERESTS WERE BUYING AT MID-SESSION AND AN EARLY AND PRACTICALLY COMPLETE CLEARANCE WAS EFFECTED. MOST SALES WERE MADE AT A DECLINE OF 15-20¢ FROM THE BEST PRICES THURSDAY WITH THE CLOSE ACTIVE AND STRONG. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS RULED STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER AND PACKING SOWS DECLINED MOSTLY 25¢ FROM YESTERDAY'S AVERAGE. RECEIPTS HERE WERE ESTIMATED AT 13,500 INCLUDING 1,500 THROUGH, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 12,556 LAST FRIDAY AND 11,131 A YEAR AGO.

BULK OF 160-260# HOGS SOLD WITHIN THE NARROW SPREAD OF $11.10 TO $11.15, LATTER PRICE MORE POPULAR. A FEW LOADS OF CHOICE LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT DESCRIPTIONS EARNED $11.20 AND $11.25, LATTER PRICE, WHICH WAS TOP, TAKING ABOUT TEN LOADS. EARLY ROUNDS RECORDED SEVERAL LOADS WITHIN THE ABOVE WEIGHT SPREAD SELLING DOWN TO $11.00: A FEW LOADS OF 270-290# BUTCHERS CASHED AT $11.00 LATE, ODD LOTS DOWN TO $10.90: MOST 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS TURNED AT $10.50 TO $11.00, PIGS SCALING 130# AND DOWN MOVING AT $9.25 TO $10.50. BULK OF PACKING SOWS REALIZED $9.50 TO $9.60, SEVERAL LOTS $9.65.

SHEEP: MOST OF THE ESTIMATED 1,000 SHEEP AND LAMBS WERE BILLED DIRECT, LEAVING ONLY ONE STRAIGHT LOAD AND SEVERAL ODD LOTS ON SALE. THE RUN LAST FRIDAY TOTALED 539 AND A YEAR AGO 421 ARRIVED. DEMAND WAS ACTIVE FOR THE MEAGER SHOWING OF CLIPPED LAMBS AND A FULL 25¢ UPTURN WAS RECORDED. ONE DECK OF 80# WEIGHTS WENT TO A PACKER AT $14.50, CULLS BEING SALABLE AROUND $10.00 TO $11.50. ODD LOTS OF SPRING LAMBS TURNED TO PACKERS AT $17.00, WITH CITY BUTCHERS PAYING UP TO $17.50 FOR CHOICE GRADES. SHEEP REMAINED STEADY, FAT SHORN EWES GOING AT $5.50 TO $6.50, ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY.

OMAHA MARKET — 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: ALL CLASSES SLOW, STEADY; MOST FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.75-$13.50; HEIFERS $12.50-13.50; TWO LOADS 531# $13.60; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00-10.75; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.75 TO $8.00; FEW LIGHT MEDIUM BULLS $8.75-9.25; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $13.50; FEW TO INDEPENDENTS $14.00.

HOGS: STEADY TO 15¢ LOWER; CHOICE MEDIUM WEIGHT BUTCHERS SHOWING THE MOST LOSS; TOP $10.70 ON CHOICE 220# BUTCHERS; BULK 190-260# WEIGHTS $10.35-10.60; BULK 260-350# BUTCHERS $10.00-10.40; ODD LOTS OF LIGHT LIGHTS DOWNWARD TO $9.50; PACKING SOWS AND STAGS $9.25-9.75.

SHEEP: LAMBS STEADY TO 25¢ HIGHER; ADVANCE MOSTLY ON SPRINGERS; SHEEP AND FEEDERS UNCHANGED; SOME EIGHT CARS STRICTLY CHOICE CALIFORNIA SPRING LAMBS; 78-80# LAMBS AT $17.25; ONE LOAD MEDIUM GRADE AVERAGE 69# AT $15.25; NATIVE SPRING LAMBS UP TO $16.75; FED WOOLED LAMBS CLUSTERED AT $15.25; CLIPPED LAMBS, STRONG WEIGHTS 93-95# $13.60 TO $13.75; TOP TO SHIPPERS ONE DECK 83# WEIGHTS $14.10; NO GOOD OR CHOICE EWES ON OFFER; ONE LOAD SHEARING LAMBS AVERAGE 85# $15.00.

STOCKER AND FEEDER SHIPMENTS FROM 12 MARKETS

	APR. 27 – MAY 3, 1929	APR. 19 – APR. 26, 1929	APR. 28 – MAY 4, 1928	PERCENT INCREASE OR DECREASE COMPARED CORRESPONDING PERIOD 1926-27-28.
CATTLE AND CALVES	52,782	62,796	49,083	16.9 INCREASE
HOGS	9,283	9,356	10,061	23.4 DECREASE
SHEEP	26,916	30,482	19,281	75.1 INCREASE

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DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- Steer and yearling trade steady, hardly enough here to make a market; best heavies at $14.65; long yearlings $14.50; few loads medium weight steers $14.15 and $14.25; medium light steers $12.25 to $13.00; sprinkling light heifers $13.00 to $13.85, common kinds down to $12.00 and below; most butcher heifers, however, going at $10.50 to $13.00; beef cows of value to sell at $9.25 upward, weak to shade lower; cutters dull at week's decline; extreme top sausage bulls $10.00 on shipper account, most offerings steady with week's downturn at $9.00 to $9.75; light cutter kinds down to $8.00; light vealers steady at $11.00 to $12.00; small killers and shippers buying sparingly at $14.00 to $14.50.

HOGS:- Slow; opened 10 to 20¢ lower; later trade mostly 25 to 40¢ lower; medium weight butchers showing most decline; top $11.40 paid early for an occasional load of around 200-lb. weights; bulk of good and choice 160 to 210-lb. averages $11.10 to $11.35; 220 to 250-lb. weights $10.90 to $11.15; 260 to 300-lb. weights $10.75 to $11.00; bulk of desirable 130 to 150-lb. weights $10.50 to $11.10; strictly choice 150-lb. averages up to $11.25; pigs mostly $9.50 to $10.25; packing sows 10 to 15¢ lower, mostly $9.85 to $10.10; light weights up to $10.25.

SHEEP:- Active, 10 to 25¢ higher; few loads good to choice 93 to 97-lb. clipped lambs $14.60 to $14.75; good to choice 85-lb. woolskins $16.00, few shorn throwouts $10.00 to $12.00; odd lots native springers $16.25 down; few shorn ewes weak at $6.00; culls $3.00; feeding and shearing lambs nominal.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- Hardly enough of any one class here to test values; part load choice mixed yearlings $14.35; odd lots butcher cows $8.75 to $10.50; all cutters $6.00 to $8.00; vealers steady, $13.00 down.

HOGS:- Fairly active, weak to 15¢ lower than Thursday's average to all interests; top $10.75 on load choice 220-lb. weights; bulk desirable 250-lb. $10.60 to $10.70; 250 to 350-lbs. $10.25 to $10.65; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.30 to $10.65; packing sows $[illegible] to $[illegible].50; stock pigs $9.50 to $10.60.

SHEEP:- Killing classes generally steady; a few Arizona springers $16.50; shorn lambs $13.25 to $14.15; shorn two-year-old wethers $9.15; Arizona shorn ewes $7.00.

			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)						
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$10.80-11.15	$10.50-11.15	$10.25-10.65	$ 9.85-10.60
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	10.90-11.25	10.30-11.40	10.50-10.75	10.00-10.70
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	10.75-11.25	10.15-11.40	10.50-10.70	9.65-10.65
Lt. Lts.	(130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.25-11.15	9.75-11.30	10.25-10.65	9.35-10.35
Packing sows, smooth and rough			9.30- 9.75	9.50-10.25	8.50- 9.50	9.15- 9.75
Slaughter Pigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	9.00-10.35	9.00-10.50	9.25-10.60	----------
Fdr & Stkr. Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	8.75-10.35	----------	9.25-10.60	8.50- 9.50
Av. Cost & Wt. Thurs. (Pigs Exc)			11.10-206#	11.27-248#	10.58-231#	10.32-256#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	----------	13.40-14.65	----------	----------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.75-14.50	14.25-14.[illegible]0	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.00
		Good	12.75-13.75	13.40-14.25	12.50-13.25	12.75-13.50
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.75-14.75	14.[illegible]-15.00	13.25-14.25	13.60-14.60
		Good	13.00-13.75	13.40-14.25	12.75-13.50	12.75-13.60
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	14.00-15.00	14.40-15.00	13.50-14.75	13.75-14.60
		Good	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.40	13.00-13.75	13.00-13.75
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	12.00-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.00
		Common	9.75-12.25	10.75-12.75	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.00
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)		Choice	14.00-15.00	14.25-15.00	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.25-14.25	13.75-14.50	13.00-13.75	13.00-13.75
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	14.00-15.00	14.00-14.75	13.00-14.25	13.25-14.25
		Good	13.00-14.25	13.00-14.00	11.75-13.25	12.00-13.25
		Com-Med	9.00-13.25	9.50-13.00	8.75-12.00	9.00-12.00
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	12.00-14.00	12.50-14.50	11.75-13.75	11.50-13.75
		Good	11.00-13.50	11.50-14.00	10.75-13.00	10.75-13.00
		Medium	9.50-12.75	10.00-13.00	9.25-11.75	9.00-12.00
Cows:		Choice	11.25-12.25	11.50-12.25	10.75-12.00	10.75-12.00
		Good	10.00-11.25	9.75-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.75
		Com-Med	8.50-10.00	7.75- 9.75	8.00- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
		Low Cut-Cut	5.25- 8.50	6.00- 7.75	6.00- 8.00	6.25- 8.25
Bulls: (Ylg. Exc. Beef.)		Gd-Ch	10.25-11.25	10.00-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		Cut-Med	7.50-10.25	8.00-10.00	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
Calves:	(500# dn)	Med-Ch	9.75-13.00	10.00-13.00	9.50-13.00	10.00-12.50
		Cull-Com	5.50- 9.75	7.00-10.00	6.50- 9.50	6.50-10.00
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	12.75-14.25	10.50-14.75	10.50-13.50	11.00-14.00
		Medium	10.25-12.75	9.50-10.50	9.00-10.50	10.00-11.00
		Cull-Com	[illegible]-10.25	8.00- 9.50	6.00- 9.00	6.00-10.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.75-13.25	12.50-13.50	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.50
		Com-Med	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.75-12.00
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.25
		Com-Med	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.50	9.50-12.25	9.50-12.25
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	11.00-12.00	10.25-11.75	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		Com-Med	9.50-11.00	9.[illegible]-10.25	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.50- 9.25	8.75- 9.40	8.25- 9.25	8.00- 9.00
		Com-Med	7.50- 8.50	8.25- 8.75	7.25- 8.25	6.75- 8.00
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	----------	----------	12.[illegible]-14.75	11.75-14.25
		Medium	----------	----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:- ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.						
Spring Lambs:		Gd-Ch	----------	16.25-17.50	15.75-16.90	16.00-17.25
		Medium	----------	15.25-16.25	14.50-15.75	15.00-16.00
		Cull-Com	----------	13.25-15.25	12.25-14.50	13.50-15.00
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	13.75-14.50	14.15-15.00	13.25-14.15	13.75-14.25
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	13.75-14.50	14.00-14.90	12.75-14.00	13.50-14.25
	(92# dn)	Medium	12.50-13.75	12.50-14.15	12.25-13.25	12.75-13.75
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.75	12.50-13.65	12.75-13.85
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	9.50-12.50	10.00-12.50	9.00-12.50	10.00-12.75
Yearling Wethers	(110# dn)	Med-Ch	9.00-12.50	9.50-13.00	9.00-12.00	8.75-12.00
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	5.25- 6.50	5.75- 7.00	5.50- 7.00	6.00- 7.00
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	5.25- 6.50	5.75- 6.75	5.25- 6.75	6.00- 6.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	2.00- 5.25	2.50- 5.75	2.00- 5.50	1.50- 6.00

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SUMMARY OF LIVESTOCK MARKET - SATURDAY - MAY 11, 1929

RECEIPTS

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS (ESTIMATE)	**200	**150	4,500	300
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS TOTAL THIS WK. (APPRO.)	10,550	9,000	79,700	6,800
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS TOTAL LAST WEEK	11,093	9,293	84,411	9,547
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS TOTAL SAME WK. LAST YR.	10,603	7,751	70,937	6,182
11 MARKET TOTAL THIS WEEK	148,175	62,725	437,575	243,725
11 MARKET TOTAL LAST WEEK	150,200	62,225	530,110	259,150
11 MARKET TOTAL SAME WEEK LAST YEAR.	151,295	53,705	474,360	220,980

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-FRIDAY-MAY 10, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	1,103	1,190	16,313	929
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	503	171	11,197	- -
PACKER PURCHASES	810	1,078	7,652	680

LIVESTOCK MARKET QUOTATIONS AND CONDITIONS-SATURDAY-MAY 11, 1929.

HOGS: (SOFT OR OILY HOGS & ROASTING PIGS EXC)	NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A. M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
HVY. WT. (250-350#) MED-CH	$10.80-11.15	$10.40-11.00	$10.25-10.65	$ 9.90-10.70
MED. WT. (200-250#) MED-CH	10.90-11.25	10.50-11.30	10.50-10.70	10.10-10.80
LT. WT. (160-200#) MED-CH	10.75-11.25	10.15-11.25	10.50-10.70	9.75-10.75
LT. LTS. (130-160#) MED-CH	10.25-11.15	10.75-11.25	10.25-10.65	9.35-10.40
PACKING SOWS SMOOTH & ROUGH	9.30- 9.75	9.50-10.25	8.50- 9.50	9.25- 9.75
SLTR. PIGS (90-130#) MED-CH	9.00-10.65	9.00-10.50	9.25-10.60	----------
FDR & STK PIGS 70-130) MED-CH	8.75-10.65	----------	9.25-10.60	8.50- 9.50
AV. COST & WT. FRI. (PIGS EXC)	11.13-212#	10.88-230#	10.53-228#	10.34-259#

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-SATURDAY-MAY 11, 1929

(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 10:30 AM.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE FOR THE PAST WEEK APPROXIMATED 10,550 HEAD, AS AGAINST ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 11,093 FOR THE PREVIOUS WEEK, AND TOTAL UNLOADINGS OF 10,603 FOR THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD A YEAR AGO.

THE STEER MARKET HAD ITS UPS AND DOWNS DURING THE PAST WEEK, HAVING A STRONG AND ADVANCING TENDENCY AT THE WEEK'S OPENING AND LOSING ALL OF THE ADVANCE LATER. NO CHOICE STEERS WERE INCLUDED IN THE RUN, A LARGE SHARE OF THE CROP BEING LIGHTWEIGHT STEERS AND YEARLINGS IN MEDIUM AND GOOD FLESH CONDITION. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS WERE OFFERED IN MORE LIBERAL QUANTITIES, AND NUMEROUS LOADS OF THESE WERE SUFFICIENTLY WELL FINISHED TO GRADE GOOD AND CHOICE. BOTH PACKERS AND CITY BUTCHERS COMPETED QUITE ACTIVELY FOR THESE AND AS A RESULT PRICES WERE BOOSTED AND VERY LITTLE CHANGE IS TO BE NOTICED FROM THE HIGH TIME OF TWO WEEKS AGO, PRACTICALLY ALL THE PREVIOUS WEEK'S LOSSES HAVING BEEN REGAINED. FRIDAY'S WEAK TO LOWER MARKET ON THESE KINDS COULD HARDLY BE TAKEN AS A CRITERION OF GENERAL MARKET CONDITIONS AS THE WEIGHTS WERE LESS DESIRABLE AND SOME INTERESTS WERE OUT OF THE MARKET ENTIRELY ON SUCH KINDS. BUTCHER COWS TURNED READILY UNDER A GOOD DEMAND FROM ALL INTERESTS AND PRICES STRENGTHENED AT TIMES ON BETTER GRADES, WHICH GREW INTO A QUARTER IN SPOTS AT THE CLOSE OF THE WEEK. CUTTERS AND STRONGWEIGHT LOW CUTTERS SHOWED A WEAKENING TENDENCY, BUT PRICES HELD UP FAIRLY WELL ON ALL EXCEPT LIGHTWEIGHT LOW CUTTERS, THESE DROPPING OFF SHARPLY AND "SHELLY" KINDS WERE ALMOST UNSALABLE AT A FULL $1.00 REDUCTION FROM A WEEK OR TEN DAYS AGO. MEDIUM BULLS FOUND A GOOD OUTLET AT FULLY STEADY PRICES, A FEW OF THE BEST WEIGHTY KINDS SCORING ADVANCES. VEALER PRICES DROPPED ALMOST DAILY.

COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO, STEERS, COWS AND MEDIUM BULLS ARE SELLING ABOUT STEADY, WITH SPOTS ON BEST COWS AND BULLS 25¢ HIGHER; MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER, SPOTS 50¢ UP ON BETTER GRADE KINDS; ALL CUTTERS WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER, WITH LIGHTWEIGHT LOW CUTTERS 50¢ TO $1.00 LOWER, VEALERS $1.00 TO $1.25 LOWER; ALL CLASSES STOCKERS AND FEEDERS STEADY, EXCEPT COMMON AND MEDIUM COWS 25¢ LOWER. TOPS FOR WEEK: 575# MIXED YEARLINGS $15.00; 624# HEIFERS $14.90; 1081 AND 1152# STEERS $14.25; 858# YEARLINGS $14.00. BULKS FOR WEEK: STEERS $11.90 TO $14.00; FAT MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS $13.65 TO $14.65; MEDIUM KINDS $12.25 TO $13.25; COWS $9.00 TO $10.50; LOW CUTTERS $6.00 TO $7.00; GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS AT CLOSE $14.00 AND $14.25.

HOGS: HOG RECEIPTS TODAY WERE ESTIMATED AT 4,500 HEAD INCLUDING 2,000 BILLED THROUGH COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 3,327 LAST SATURDAY AND 2,559 A YEAR AGO. TRADE WAS PRACTICALLY A DUPLICATION OF FRIDAY'S DEALS THOUGH A FEW EARLY SALES APPEARED STEADY TO 10¢ HIGHER. ORDER BUYERS OPENED TRADE BUT ALL INTERESTS WERE OPERATING SHORTLY AFTER THE OPENING AND MOST OF THE SUPPLIES FOUND A READY OUTLET. LOWER TRENDS TO EASTERN DRESSED PORK HAS HAD A BEARISH INFLUENCE ON LIVE TRADE AND AVERAGE PRICES THIS WEEK WERE SUBSTANTIALLY UNDER THOSE OF LAST WEEK. LIGHTER RECEIPTS RESULTED IN SOME LOSSES BEING REGAINED AND THE NET LOSS COMPARED WITH LAST SATURDAY IS ABOUT 15-20¢.

TOP PRICE HELD AT $11.25 FOR A MODERATE NUMBER OF 180-210# WEIGHTS WITH A LOAD OR TWO AT $11.20. MAJORITY OF 160-220# WEIGHTS CENTERED AROUND $11.15 WITH SOME LESS DESIRABLE TWO TWENTIES AT $11.10. WEIGHTY HOGS WERE SLOW, SOME MEDIUM TO GOOD 240-250# KINDS EARNING $11.00 AND $11.05, OCCASIONAL BIDS LOWER. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS WERE UNCHANGED. MAJORITY OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS SCORED $10.50 TO $11.00 WITH BULK OF 90-130# PIGS AT $9.25 TO $10.50. MOST OF THE PACKING SOWS MADE $9.60, OCCASIONAL HEAD OF ROUGH DESCRIPTIONS $9.50.

SHEEP: RECEIPTS OF SHEEP AND LAMBS THIS WEEK TOTALED APPROXIMATELY 6,800, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL MARKETINGS OF 9,547 LAST WEEK AND 6,182 CORRESPONDING WEEK A YEAR AGO. TOTAL AT ELEVEN MARKETS WAS ABOUT 6% UNDER THAT OF LAST WEEK.

SLACKENING RECEIPTS CHECKED THE DECLINES THAT FEATURED TRADE THE PREVIOUS WEEK THOUGH A FURTHER 25¢ REDUCTION WAS RECORDED ON FAT LAMBS. THIS WAS REGAINED FRIDAY, HOWEVER, LEAVING THIS CLASS UNCHANGED FOR THE PERIOD. SHEEP HELD STEADY FOR AWHILE BUT THEN A 50¢ REDUCTION WAS EFFECTED. NOT ENOUGH SPRING LAMBS WERE OFFERED TO BE AN INDICATION OF TRENDS, NO FULL LOADS BEING MARKETED.

TOP PRICE ON CLIPPED LAMBS WAS $14.50 PAID EARLY IN THE WEEK BY CITY BUTCHERS AND AT THE CLOSE BY PACKERS. MOST OF THE WEEK'S SUPPLIES RANGED FROM $13.75 TO $14.25, A FEW MEDIUM GRADES $13.50 AND CULLS $10.00 TO $11.50. A PART LOAD OF SHORN YEARLINGS TURNED AT $12.00. A FEW LOTS OF TWO-YEAR-OLD WETHERS OF GOOD GRADE EARNED $10.00 TO $10.50 AND AGED WETHERS MADE $8.00 TO $8.50. MAJORITY OF CLIPPED EWES SOLD LATE AT $5.50 TO $6.50, A FEW SALES EARLY IN THE WEEK BEING RECORDED AT $7.00. ODD LOTS OF SPRING LAMBS SOLD AT $16.50 TO $17.50, MOST OF THE PACKER SALES BEING $17.25 DOWN. A FEW SPECIALTIES SOLD TO CITY BUTCHERS EARLY IN THE WEEK UP TO $18.00 AND ABOVE.

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TELEGRAPHIC REPORTS FROM OTHER MARKETS
SATURDAY, MAY 11, 1929.

OMAHA MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- COMPARED WITH WEEK AGO: GOOD AND CHOICE YEARLINGS AND LIGHT STEERS STEADY, OTHERS WEAK TO AROUND 25¢ LOWER; SHE STOCK STEADY; BULLS WEAK; VEALS $2.00 TO $3.00 LOWER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS ABOUT STEADY; BULKS FOR WEEK: FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.75 TO $14.00; WEIGHTY STEERS $14.00; MIXED YEARLINGS $14.50; 1033-LB. STEERS $14.60; HEIFERS $12.00 TO $13.75, SEVERAL LOADS $14.00 TO $14.20; BEEF COWS $9.00 TO $10.75, CHOICE LOTS $11.00 TO $12.00; ALL CUTTERS $6.75 TO $8.25; MEDIUM BULLS $9.00 TO $9.75; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS AT CLOSE $13.50; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $11.50 TO $13.25.

HOGS:- 5 TO 10¢ HIGHER; TOP $10.80 ON 235-LB. BUTCHERS; BULK 190 TO 260-LB. WEIGHTS $10.45 TO $10.75; BULK 260 TO 300-LB. BUTCHERS $10.35 TO $10.50, ODD LOTS OF LIGHT LIGHTS DOWNWARD TO $9.50; PACKING SOWS $9.50 TO $9.75.

SHEEP:- COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO: SLAUGHTER LAMBS STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER; SHEEP 75¢ TO $1.00 LOWER; FEEDERS STEADY; CLOSING BULKS FOLLOW: CALIFORNIA SPRING LAMBS $16.50 TO $17.25, TOP $17.25; WOOLED LAMBS $15.25; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $13.60 TO $13.75, TOP $14.10; SHORN EWES $6.00 TO $6.50, TOP $7.00; CALIFORNIA FEEDING LAMBS $13.50 TO $14.25; SHEARING LAMBS $14.50 TO $15.00.

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A.M.

CATTLE:- COMPARED WEEK AGO: FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS STEADY TO 25¢ HIGHER; BETTER GRADES LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT FED STEERS SHOWING MOST ADVANCE; MID-WEEK SLUMP REGAINED AT CLOSE, WITH DEMAND ACTIVE AT FINISH; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS SLOW, BUT MOSTLY STEADY; ALL BUTCHER HEIFERS ACTIVE AND FIRMER; BEEF COWS 25¢ OR MORE HIGHER, BUT CUTTERS AND BULLS MOSTLY 50¢ LOWER; VEALERS $2.00 TO $2.50 LOWER; A TOP OF $15.00 PAID FOR FED STEERS SCALING 1111 TO 1457-LBS.; MIXED YEARLINGS $14.90; HEIFER YEARLINGS $14.75; MOST FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $13.00 TO $14.25; SPRINKLING THIN FLESHED AND LOW QUALITIED OFFERINGS $12.25 TO $12.75; BULK HIGHLY FINISHED GRAIN FEDS BROUGHT $14.50 UPWARD; RUN MOSTLY FAT STEERS OF STRONG AND BIG WEIGHT; NUMEROUS LOADS 1500 TO 1700-LB. HARD TO SELL AT $13.25 TO $14.35.

HOGS:- SLOW, MOSTLY STEADY WITH FRIDAY'S AVERAGE; HARDLY ENOUGH HOGS ON SALE TO TEST MARKET; TOP $11.30 PAID FOR A LOAD OF AROUND 215-LB. WEIGHTS; A FEW LOADS OF BETTER GRADE 170 TO 230-LB. WEIGHTS FROM $11.00 TO $11.25; ODD LOTS AND AN OCCASIONAL LOAD OF 240 TO 290-LB. AVERAGES $10.75 TO $11.00; A FEW LOADS AND ODD LOTS OF 300 TO 330-LB. AVERAGES AT $10.50 TO $10.75; A LOAD OF AROUND 360-LB. WEIGHTS CARRYING A FEW PACKING SOWS $10.30; BUT FEW LIGHT LIGHTS OR PIGS ON SALE; ODD LOTS OF PACKING SOWS AT $9.90; SHIPPERS TOOK 500; ESTIMATED HOLDOVER 2,000.

SHEEP:- FOR WEEK: 55,500 DIRECTS AND 77 DOUBLES FROM FEEDING STATIONS; REDUCED MARKETING LATE PROVED A BRACING FACTOR DESPITE SLOW DRESSED TRADE; DIRECT SHIPMENTS LIBERAL, RUNNING LARGELY TO CALIFORNIA SPRINGERS; COMPARED WITH WEEK AGO: FED LAMBS 15 TO 25¢ HIGHER; SPRINGERS UNCHANGED; AGED SHEEP AROUND $1.00 LOWER; TOPS FOR WEEK: CLIPPED LAMBS $14.90; WOOLSKINS $16.00; SPRINGERS $17.50; FAT SHORN EWES $7.25; BULKS: CLIPPED LAMBS $14.00 TO $14.75; WOOLSKINS $15.50 TO $15.85; SPRINGERS $16.50 TO $17.25; SHORN EWES $6.00 TO $7.00.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- FOR WEEK: LIGHT WEIGHT FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER; MEDIUM WEIGHT AND HEAVY STEERS 25 TO 50¢ LOWER; WEIGHTS 1200-LB. UP OFF MOST; SLAUGHTER COWS STEADY TO EASIER; BULLS WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; VEALERS $1.00 TO $1.50 LOWER; MEDIUM WEIGHT AND HEAVY CALVES STEADY TO 50¢ LOWER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS STEADY TO STRONG; WEEK'S TOPS: MIXED YEARLINGS $14.85; YEARLING STEERS $14.60; 1191-LB. COLORADOS $14.50; 1345-LB. COLORADOS $14.25; CLOSING VEAL TOP $13.50; BULK PRICES: FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.50 TO $14.00; BUTCHER COWS $9.00 TO $10.50; FEW CHOICE COWS $11.00 TO $12.00; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $11.75 TO $13.50; CHOICE SHORT YEARLING STOCKERS UP TO $14.75.

HOGS:- AROUND STEADY WITH FRIDAY'S AVERAGE; TOP $10.70 ON 170 TO 240-LB. WEIGHTS; FEW LOADS GOOD AND CHOICE 170 TO 250-LBS. $10.60 TO $10.70; 260 TO 325-LBS. $10.40 TO $10.50; PACKING SOWS AND STOCK PIGS SCARCE, NOMINAL.

SHEEP:- FOR WEEK: LAMBS UNEVEN; WOOLSKINS AND SHORN LAMBS AROUND STEADY; SPRINGERS 15 TO 25¢ LOWER; WEEK'S TOPS: SPRINGERS $17.00; WOOLSKINS $15.40; CLIPPERS $14.15; BULKS: SPRINGERS $16.00 TO $16.90; WOOLED LAMBS $14.50 TO $15.25; SHORN LAMBS $13.00 TO $14.00; SHEEP DULL, $1.00 TO $1.50 LOWER; SHORN TWO-YEAR-OLD WETHERS $9.00 TO $9.50; AGED WETHERS $7.00 TO $7.50; SHORN EWES LARGELY $6.50 TO $7.00.

FORT WORTH MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- FOR WEEK: SLAUGHTER STEERS 25 TO 50¢ LOWER; DESIRABLE FAT YEARLINGS FULLY STEADY; SHE STOCK AND CUTTERS STEADY TO STRONG; SAUSAGE BULLS 25 TO 50¢ LOWER; COMMON LIGHT BULLS OFF MOST; HEAVY SLAUGHTER CALVES INCLUDING CULL SORTS AROUND 50 TO 75¢ LOWER; BETTER GRADES LIGHT VEALS STEADY; PLAINER GRADES STOCK STEERS AND YEARLINGS WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; GOOD TO CHOICE STOCK YEARLINGS STEADY TO STRONG; WEEK'S TOPS: HEAVY SLAUGHTER STEERS $13.75; FAT GRASSERS $11.75; FAT YEARLINGS $14.50; LOAD LOT TOP FAT COWS $9.50; HEAVY SLAUGHTER CALVES $12.25; CHOICE LIGHT WEIGHT VEALERS $14.50; CHOICE STOCK STEER YEARLINGS $13.60; BULK PRICES: GRASS SLAUGHTER STEERS $9.75 TO $11.15; SLAUGHTER YEARLINGS $11.75 TO $13.35; FAT COWS $8.25 TO $9.00; BUTCHER GRADES $7.00 TO $7.75; CUTTERS AND LOW CUTTERS $5.25 TO $6.25; SAUSAGE BULLS $6.50 TO $8.50; HEAVY SLAUGHTER CALVES $10.50 TO $11.75; STOCK STEERS AND YEARLINGS $10.50 TO $12.25.

HOGS:- STEADY TO STRONG; TOP $10.60 PAID FOR LOAD MEDIUM TO CHOICE BUTCHERS WEIGHING AROUND 230-LBS.; MIXED LIGHT WEIGHTS DOWN TO $9.75; TRUCK TOP $10.00; BULK DESIRABLE 180 TO 250-LB. TRUCK HOGS $9.75 TO $10.00; PACKING SOWS STEADY, MOSTLY $8.50 TO $9.25; FEEDER PIGS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; GOOD FEEDER PIGS $8.00 TO $8.75.

SHEEP:- FOR THE WEEK: FAT YEARLINGS STEADY; FAT WETHERS 15 TO 25¢ LOWER; FAT LAMBS 25 TO 50¢ LOWER; FEEDER YEARLINGS AND WETHERS STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER; BULK MEDIUM TO GOOD FAT LAMBS $13.00 TO $13.50; FEW LAMBS UP TO $14.00; SHORN FAT YEARLINGS $10.50 TO $11.75; TWO YEAR OLD SHORN FAT WETHERS $8.25 TO $8.75; GOOD AGED SHORN FAT WETHERS MOSTLY $7.50 TO $7.90; LOWER GRADES FAT AGED WETHERS $7.00 TO $7.25; AGED FEEDER WETHERS $5.50 TO $6.00; FEEDER YEARLINGS MOSTLY $9.00.

ST. PAUL MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- COMPARED WEEK AGO: STEERS AND YEARLINGS 25¢ UNDER A WEEK EARLIER OR 25 TO 50¢ UNDER WEEK'S BEST TIME; SHE STOCK WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; BULLS STEADY; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS UNEVENLY WEAK TO 25¢ TO 50¢ LOWER; VEALERS $2.50 TO $3.00 LOWER; WEEK'S PRICES: CHOICE YEARLING STEERS $14.50, NEW SEASONS PEAK; MEDIUM AND HEAVY WEIGHTS $13.50; BULK ALL WEIGHTS ON DOWN TO $12.50; FAT COWS $8.50 TO $10.00; HEIFERS $10.00 TO $11.50; CUTTERS $6.50 TO $7.75; BULLS $9.00 TO $9.50; CHOICE QUALITY HALF-FAT FINISHING STEERS TO $13.50; BULK STOCKERS $11.00 TO $12.00; VEALERS AT CLOSE LARGELY $12.00.

HOGS:- STEADY TO 10¢ LOWER THAN FRIDAY'S GENERAL TRADE; DESIRABLE 160 TO AROUND 230-LB. AVERAGES LARGELY $10.75; TOP $10.75; WEIGHTIER BUTCHERS MOSTLY $10.25 TO $10.50, FEW $10.60; SCATTERING OF 300-LBS. UP DOWN TO $10.00; SOWS MOSTLY $9.25; LIGHT LIGHTS LARGELY $10.75; PIGS 120-LB. DOWN $11.00.

SHEEP:- COMPARED WITH WEEK AGO: CLIPPED LAMBS MOSTLY 25¢ HIGHER; EWES UNEVENLY 50¢ TO $1.00 LOWER; BULK DESIRABLE CLIPPED LAMBS $14.00 TO $14.25, BEST AT CLOSE $14.50; BULK FAT SHORN EWES $6.00 TO $6.50 ON CLOSING DAYS; MOSTFAT WOOLED LAMBS $14.00 TO $15.00 WOOLED EWES $7.00 TO $7.50LATE.

"HOGS SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL MEAT INSPECTION"
WEEKS ENDING FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1929 AND MAY 11, 1928.

	1929	1928
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS	101,072	99,970
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.	NOT AVAILABLE	12,651
KANSAS CITY, KANS.	55,932	67,948
NAT'L. STOCK YARDS, ILL. & ST. LOUIS, MO.	55,588	55,729
NEW YORK AND JERSEY CITY	31,628	30,773
OMAHA, NEBRASKA	35,542	40,376
SIOUX CITY, IOWA	19,517	29,589
SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, MO.	20,509	21,697
SOUTH ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA	30,906	40,277

*1928 FIGURES AT SIOUX CITY FOR CALENDAR WEEK.

5-11-29 KJF-ACA 11:00 A.M. E. K. HESS, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE.

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS.

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-MONDAY-MAY 13, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**1,700	**1,300	10,500	350
CHICAGO	16,000	5,000	32,000	17,000
KANSAS CITY	9,000	1,100	8,000	11,000
OMAHA	8,000	500	13,000	16,000
ST. JOSEPH	2,600	300	3,000	9,000
ST. PAUL	4,700	2,800	9,000	800
SIOUX CITY	3,000	1,200	8,000	3,000
CINCINNATI	1,000	375	3,100	275
INDIANAPOLIS	500	400	4,000	100
PITTSBURGH	700	1,200	3,500	3,500
BUFFALO	1,875	1,325	8,480	4,200
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	49,075	17,300	103,580	68,825
ONE WEEK AGO	48,375	18,125	123,400	60,225
ONE YEAR AGO	53,100	15,005	136,560	64,900

**RUN INCLUDES 350 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 1,000 THROUGH AND 1,000 DIRECT; CHICAGO 14,000; KANSAS CITY 1,800; OMAHA 2,200; ST. JOSEPH 850; SIOUX CITY 400; ST. PAUL 800.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS SHIPMENTS, RECEIPTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-SATURDAY-MAY 11, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	384	90	4,605	276
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	511	49	4,701	253
PACKER PURCHASES	28	1	2,331	- -

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-MONDAY-MAY 13, 1929
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 PM)

CATTLE: MORNING ESTIMATES CALLED FOR 1,700 CATTLE, AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 2,076 LAST MONDAY, AND UNLOADINGS NUMBERING 3,157 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.
STEERS WERE IN RELATIVELY LIGHT SUPPLY TODAY AND QUALITY FOR THE MOST PART WAS ORDINARY, MOST OF THE MATERIAL BEING MEDIUM AND GOOD GRADES WITH LIGHT AND HANDY-WEIGHT KINDS PREDOMINATING. SALESMEN BOOSTED THEIR ASKING PRICES TO SOME EXTENT AND AS A RESULT THERE WERE NOT MANY BULLOCKS WHICH CROSSED THE SCALES AT AN EARLY HOUR. SUCH SALES WHICH WERE CONSUMMATED WERE ON A STEADY TO STRONG BASIS AND THIS TREND ALSO APPLIED TO LATER TRANSACTIONS QUITE LARGELY. SEVERAL LOADS WERE LATE IN ARRIVING AND THIS ALSO TENDED TO EXTEND THE TRADING SESSION WELL UP TO THE NOON HOUR. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS, OUTSIDE OF A LOAD OR TWO, WERE REPRESENTED BY ODD LOTS LARGELY AND MET WITH A STEADY DEAL, ALTHOUGH LACKING TO SOME EXTENT IN ACTIVITY. BUTCHER COWS FOUND A GOOD DEMAND FROM ALL INTERESTS AT FULLY STEADY TERMS, WHILE THE CUTTER TRADE WAS NOT SO BRISK. THERE WERE NO NOTICEABLE PRICE DECLINES ON LOW CUTTERS, EXCEPT ON VERY EMACIATED KINDS, AND HERE BUYERS WERE BIDDING SHARPLY LOWER FOR A STRAIGHT OUT SALE AS THEY ASSERTED THAT A CONSIDERABLE NUMBER OF THESE ARE BEING CONDEMNED AT PRESENT. WITH SOME INTERESTS OUT OF THE MARKET FOR MEDIUM BULLS THIS END OF THE TRADE SHOWED A WEAKENING TENDENCY, BEING QUOTABLE UNEVENLY STEADY TO IN SPOTS 25¢ LOWER, BEST WEIGHTY KINDS, IF ANYTHING, SHOWING THE MOST DECLINE. VEALERS STARTED THE WEEK ON A 25-50¢ HIGHER SCHEDULE.
A LOAD OR MORE OF WELL FINISHED 1271# STEERS PLACED THE DAY'S TOP AT $14.15, WHILE A LOAD OF AROUND 1075# AVERAGES STOPPED AT $13.75, WITH THE BULK FROM THIS PRICE DOWNWARD TO $12.00, SOME COMMON YELLOWHAMMERS ON DOWN TO $11.25 OR BELOW. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS TURNED LARGELY AT $12.25 TO $13.85, THE LATTER PRICE PAID FOR A LOAD AND A SIZABLE LOT OF MIXED MATERIAL. MOST OF THE COWS WERE OF A KIND TO SELL AT $9.00 TO $10.75, A FEW DESIRABLE LOW CUTTERS $6.00 TO $7.00, AND VERY THIN "SHELLY" KINDS DOWN TO $4.50 IN INSTANCES. A TOP OF $10.00 WAS PAID SPARINGLY FOR BEST MEDIUM BULLS, OTHERS LARGELY $9.75 AND DOWN. GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WENT CHIEFLY TO PACKERS AT $14.50.

HOGS: DRESSED PORK AT EASTERN CENTERS RECOVERED A GOOD SHARE OF LAST WEEK'S LOSSES, WHICH FACTOR COUPLED WITH DECREASED RECEIPTS PUSHED LIVE PRICES AT THIS POINT 15-25¢ ABOVE LAST WEEK'S CLOSE. SHIPPERS AND BUTCHERS OPENED THE MARKET AND PURCHASED THE BIG BULK OF SUPPLIES, PACKERS ENTERING LATE AND FINDING ONLY A SMALL NUMBER AVAILABLE. OPENING ROUNDS WERE SLOW BUT CONSIDERABLE ACTIVITY DEVELOPED LATER WITH AN EARLY AND PRACTICALLY COMPLETE CLEARANCE EFFECTED. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS WERE FAIRLY ACTIVE AND STRONG, MANY REFLECTING UNEVEN UPTURNS. PACKING SOWS WERE IN NARROW SUPPLY AND SOLD SLOW AT AN ADVANCE OF ABOUT 15¢. RECEIPTS HERE WERE ESTIMATED AT 10,500 INCLUDING 2,000 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT COMPARED WITH ACTUAL MARKETINGS OF 16,135 LAST MONDAY AND 15,337 CORRESPONDING DAY A YEAR AGO.
BULK OF 160-220# WEIGHTS CROSSED THE SCALES AT $11.35 TO $11.40, NEARLY A DOZEN LOADS OF CHOICE 190-215# HOGS EARNING THE TOP PRICE OF $11.45. BUTCHERS SCALING 220-250# MOVED AT $11.25 TO $11.35, OCCASIONAL LOADS OF LIGHTER WEIGHTS SOMEWHAT LACKING IN QUALITY ALSO GOING WITHIN THIS PRICE SPREAD. HEAVY BUTCHERS WERE SCARCE, A FEW ODD LOTS AND ABOUT A HALF LOAD OF 300# BUTCHERS SCORING $11.15. MAJORITY OF 130-150# WEIGHTS CASHED AT $10.50 TO $11.25, LATTER PRICE TAKING STRONG ONE FIFTIES. PIGS SCALING 90-130# FOUND AN OUTLET AT $9.25 TO $10.75, LIGHTER WEIGHTS BELOW THE LOWER FIGURE. WHILE OCCASIONAL SALES WERE RECORDED AROUND $9.60 TO $9.65, MOST OF THE GENERAL RUN OF DESIRABLE PACKING SOWS REALIZED $9.75.

SHEEP: SUPPLIES WERE LIGHT IN THE SHEEP HOUSE TODAY THOUGH THE ESTIMATED RUN OF 350 HEAD WAS AUGMENTED SOMEWHAT BY SOME LAMBS AND SHEEP FROM A LOCAL FEEDLOT. THE RUN LAST MONDAY FIGURED 439 HEAD AND A YEAR AGO THIS DAY 936 WERE OFFERED. CLIPPED LAMB TRADE WAS SLOW IN GETTING UNDER WAY THOUGH MOST SALES WERE FINALLY MADE ON ABOUT A STEADY BASIS. A FEW LOTS RECEIVED LOWER BIDS AND REMAINED IN FIRST HANDS. SHEEP AND SPRING LAMBS WERE PRESENT ONLY IN ODD LOTS AND SOLD STEADY. PACKERS PAID $14.50 FOR A DECK OF NEAR CHOICE 73# CLIPPED LAMBS WITH A SHORT DECK OF 69# WEIGHTS AT $14.25, AND ABOUT AN EQUAL NUMBER AVERAGING 73# AT $14.00. CULLS WERE SALABLE AROUND $10.00 TO $11.50, OCCASIONAL HEAD LOWER. A FEW AGED WETHERS EARNED $8.50 AND BULK OF SHORN EWES MOVED AT $5.50 TO $6.50. CITY BUTCHERS PAID $16.50 TO $17.50 FOR SEVERAL SMALL LOTS OF SPRING LAMBS.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: YLGS.& LIGHT STEERS MODERATELY ACTIVE, FULLY STEADY; WEIGHTY STEERS ANDMED. WGT. SLOW, STEADY TO WEAK; SHE STOCK SLOW, STEADY TO WEAK; BULLS FULLY STEADY; VEALS WEAK TO $1.00 LOWER; STOCKERS&FEEDERS IN LIGHT SUPPLY, STEADY; FED STEERS&YLGS.$12.75-14.00;SEVERAL LOADS LIGHT STEERS&YLGS. $14.15-14.50; HEIFERS $12.00-13.50; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00-10.75; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $12.50; FEW EARLY TO INDEPENDENTS UP TO $14.00; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $11.75 TO $13.25.

HOGS: STEADY TO STRONG; STRONGWEIGHT BUTCHERS 300# UP SLOW; TOP $10.80ON 225# BUTCHERS BULK 190-260# $10.50-10.75; 260-320# $10.25-10.50; WEIGHTS UP TO 375# DOWN TO $10.10; 140-190# SELECTIONS $9.75-10.65; FEEDER PIGS $9.50 DOWN; PACKING SOWS AND STAGS $9.50-$9.75.

SHEEP: LAMBS SLOW, 25-50¢ LOWER; SHEEP AND FEEDERS WEAK; EARLY SALES MEDIUM GRADE CALIFORNIA SPRINGERS $15.00-15.50; 800 GOOD TO CHOICE CALIFORNIAS $16.35; CHOICE NATIVE SPRINGERS $16.50; NO STRICTLY CHOICE CALIFORNIAS INCLUDED; NO FED CLIPPED OR WOOLED LAMBS SOLD; SHORN EWES MOSTLY $6.00-6.50; TOP $7.00.

5-13-29 ACA
2:10 P. M.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, MONDAY, MAY 13, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET TO 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- Strictly good and choice fed steers and yearlings steady early, top $15.00 paid for 1194-lb. averages; that price bid on long yearlings; several loads yearlings $14.25 to $14.75; very little done, however, and big packers going slow, bidding lower, especially on inbetween grade weighty bullocks and medium to good light yearlings; largely steer and yearling run; replacement cattle scarce and steady; she stock slow; fat cows scarce, but local buyer bearish and shipper demand narrow; bulls steady to 25¢ higher; vealers 50¢ or more lower, light kinds going largely at $10.50 to $11.50; selected shippers scarce, around $14.50.

HOGS:- Slow, mostly 10 to 15¢ higher than Friday's average; light lights and pigs 15 to 25¢ higher; top $11.40 paid for a number of loads of choice 160 to 210-lb. weights; bulk of better grade 160 to 220-lb. averages $11.20 to $11.40, loads of medium quality down to $10.50; good and choice 230 to 280-lb. weights $11.00 to $11.25; several loads of 290 to 320-lb. averages $10.75 to $11.00; bulk of better grade 130 to 150-lb. weights $10.60 to $11.25; pigs mostly $9.75 to $10.75, choice strong weights up to $11.00; bulk packing sows $9.85 to $10.10; smooth light weights up to $10.15 and $10.25.

SHEEP:- Opening slow; few sales better grade lambs fully steady, little done on plainer kinds; few loads good and choice 82 to 90-lb. shorn lambs $14.75 to $15.00; few loads good to choice 83 to 90-lb. woolskins $16.00 to $16.25; good to choice California springers held above $17.50; load choice California ewes $7.50; feeding and shearing lambs nominal.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- Fed steers ~~and yearlings opening slow, steady to strong~~; spots slightly higher; supply light to moderate; choice offerings scarce; she stock steady to strong; bulls slow, steady; vealers and calves unchanged; better grades light weight stockers fully steady, others and feeders slow, weak to 25¢ lower; choice mixed yearlings $14.50 and $14.75; bulk fed steers and yearlings eligible to sell around $12.75 to $13.75; butcher cows $9.00 to $10.50, few up to $11.00 and above; all cutters $6.00 to $8.00; medium bulls $9.00 to $9.50; good to choice vealers $11.00 to $13.00; four loads choice 564-lb. stockers $14.75; bulk stockers and feeders $11.75 to $13.25.

HOGS:- Fairly active, unevenly 20 to 25¢ higher than Friday's average; top $10.95 on choice 190 to 225-lb. weights; bulk desirable 170 to 240-lbs. $10.75 to $10.90; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.30 to $10.85; 250 to 325-lbs. $10.50 to $10.80; packing sows mostly $9.25 to $9.85; stock pigs $9.50 to $10.60.

SHEEP:- Lambs and spring lambs generally 15 to 25¢ lower; sheep weak; top Arizona springers to shippers $17.00; other Arizonas and Californias to packers $16.25 to $16.75; early top wooled lambs $14.75; no clippers sold early, best held above $14.00; Texas wethers $7.25 and $7.35.

HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$11.00-11.30	$10.50-11.15	$10.40-10.80	$10.00-10.75
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	11.10-11.45	10.60-11.40	10.75-10.95	10.15-10.80
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	10.75-11.45	10.25-11.40	10.75-10.95	9.75-10.75
Lt. Lts.	(130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.50-11.40	9.35-11.40	10.30-10.85	9.35-10.40
Packing sows, smooth and rough			9.45- 9.85	9.50-10.25	8.75- 9.85	9.25- 9.85
SlaughterPigs(90-130#)		Med-Ch	9.00-10.75	9.25-11.00	9.25-10.60	-----------
Fdr &Stkr.Pigs(70-130#)		Med-Ch	8.75-10.75	-----------	9.25-10.60	8.50- 9.50
Av. Cost & Wt. Sat. (Pigs Exc)			11.01-225#	10.79-261#	10.52-214#	10.44-242#
Av. Cost & Wt. Week.(Pigs Exc)			11.10-210#	10.93-236#	10.55-228#	10.36-254#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	-----------	13.40-14.65	-----------	-----------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.75-14.50	14.25-14.90	13.40-14.00	13.50-14.00
		Good	12.75-13.75	13.25-14.25	12.75-13.40	12.75-13.50
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.75-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.40-14.25	13.60-14.60
		Good	13.00-13.75	13.25-14.25	12.85-13.65	12.75-13.60
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	14.00-15.00	14.40-15.00	13.65-14.75	13.75-14.60
		Good	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.40	13.00-13.75	13.00-13.75
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	12.00-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.00
		Common	9.75-12.25	10.75-12.75	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.00
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950 #)		Choice	14.00-15.00	14.25-15.00	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.25-14.25	13.75-14.50	13.00-13.75	13.00-13.75
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	14.00-15.00	14.00-14.75	13.25-14.25	13.25-14.25
		Good	13.00-14.25	13.00-14.00	12.00-13.50	12.00-13.25
		Com-Med	9.00-13.25	9.50-13.00	8.75-12.25	9.00-12.00
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	12.50-14.00	12.50-14.50	11.75-13.75	11.50-13.75
		Good	11.00-13.50	11.50-14.00	10.75-13.25	10.75-13.00
		Medium	9.50-12.75	10.00-13.00	9.25-12.00	9.00-12.00
Cows:		Choice	11.25-12.25	11.50-12.25	10.75-12.00	10.75-12.00
		Good	10.00-11.25	9.75-11.50	9.50-10.75	9.50-10.75
		Com-Med	8.50-10.00	7.75- 9.75	8.00- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
		Low Cut-Cut	5.00- 8.50	6.00- 7.75	6.00- 8.00	6.25- 8.25
Bulls: (Ylg.Exc.Beef.)		Gd-Ch	10.00-11.00	10.00-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		Cut-Med	7.50-10.00	8.00-10.00	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
Calves:	(500# dn)	Med-Ch	9.75-13.00	10.00-12.50	9.50-13.00	10.00-12.50
		Cull-Com	6.50- 9.75	7.00-10.00	6.50- 9.50	6.50-10.00
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	13.00-14.50	10.00-14.50	10.50-13.50	10.50-13.50
		Medium	10.50-13.00	9.50-10.00	9.00-10.50	9.50-10.50
		Cull-Com	6.00-10.50	8.00- 9.50	6.00- 9.00	6.00- 9.50
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.75-13.25	12.50-13.50	12.00-13.25	12.00-13.50
		Com-Med	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.50-12.00	9.75-12.00
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	12.00-14.25	12.25-14.25
		Com-Med	9.00-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.50-12.00	9.50-12.25
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	11.00-12.00	10.50-12.00	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		Com-Med	8.50-11.00	9.00-10.50	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.50- 9.25	9.00- 9.50	8.25- 9.25	8.00- 9.00
		Com-Med	7.50- 8.50	8.25- 9.00	7.25- 8.25	6.75- 8.00
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	-----------	-----------	12.25-14.75	11.75-14.25
		Medium	-----------	-----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
Spring Lambs:		Gd-Ch	-----------	16.50-17.75	15.75-17.00	15.75-16.75
		Medium	-----------	15.50-16.50	14.50-15.75	14.75-15.75
		Cull-Com	-----------	13.25-15.50	12.25-14.50	13.25-14.75
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	13.75-14.50	14.25-15.00	13.00-14.00	13.00-13.75
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	13.75-14.50	14.10-14.90	12.75-13.75	12.75-13.50
	(92# dn)	Medium	12.50-13.75	12.50-14.25	12.00-13.00	12.25-13.00
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.85	12.25-13.50	12.25-13.25
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	9.50-12.50	10.00-12.50	9.00-12.00	9.50-12.25
Yearling Wethers	(110#dn)	Med-Ch	9.00-12.50	9.50-13.00	9.00-11.75	8.50-11.75
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	5.25- 6.50	5.75- 7.50	5.50- 7.00	6.00- 7.00
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	5.25- 6.50	5.75- 6.75	5.25- 6.25	6.00- 6.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	2.00- 5.25	2.50- 5.75	2.00- 5.50	1.50- 6.00

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-TUESDAY-MAY 14, 1929

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**3,200	**1,800	13,500	2,000
CHICAGO	7,000	3,500	17,000	15,000
KANSAS CITY	6,000	1,000	9,000	9,000
OMAHA	7,000	500	12,000	14,000
ST. JOSEPH	2,200	300	5,000	4,500
ST. PAUL	2,300	2,500	4,000	300
SIOUX CITY	4,000	300	7,500	4,000
CINCINNATI	250	450	3,000	250
INDIANAPOLIS	1,000	800	7,000	100
PITTSBURGH	25	25	500	250
BUFFALO	25	250	800	100
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	33,000	11,425	79,300	49,500
ONE WEEK AGO	33,575	12,925	75,500	45,375
ONE YEAR AGO	37,310	11,975	100,160	40,900
TO DATE THIS WEEK	82,075	29,725	182,880	118,325
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	81,950	31,050	193,900	105,600
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	90,410	26,980	236,720	105,800

**RUN INCLUDES 450 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 500 THROUGH AND 500 DIRECT; CHICAGO 700; KANSAS CITY 800; OMAHA 1,700; ST. JOSEPH 500; SIOUX CITY 400; ST. PAUL NONE.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-MONDAY-MAY 13, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	2,123	1,694	10,703	562
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	212	336	5,752	--
PACKER PURCHASES	1,058	1,485	3,832	1,159

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-TUESDAY-MAY 14, 1929.

(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P. M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 3,200 TODAY, AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 3,070 LAST TUESDAY, AND TOTAL UNLOADINGS OF 3,861 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

IT WAS VERY LARGELY A STEER RUN HERE TODAY, IN FACT THE SUPPLY WAS TOO LIBERAL TO MAINTAIN PRICES AT A STEADY LEVEL. A FEW EARLY SALES, MOSTLY LIGHTWEIGHT MATERIAL, CLEARED EARLY AT STEADY PRICES, BUT FROM THE START THE MARKET CARRIED AN UNDERTONE OF BEARISHNESS. AFTER A RATHER LONG BARGAINING SESSION, THE FINAL RESULT WAS A BUYERS' MARKET IN PROGRESS, WITH DECLINES IN GENERAL RULING 15-25¢ LOWER, ALTHOUGH SPOTS ON HEAVY STEERS WERE OFF MORE. WEIGHT WAS MORE NOTICEABLE THAN FOR SOME TIME PAST, WHILE QUALITY, AND ESPECIALLY CONDITION VERY MUCH IMPROVED AND NUMEROUS LOADS OF HIGHLY FINISHED MEDIUM AND HEAVYWEIGHT BULLOCKS WERE OFFERED, SOME OF WHICH WERE ON THE CHOICE ORDER. SEVERAL CARS OF TEXAS STEERS AND HEIFERS HELPED TO AUGMENT THE SUPPLY MATERIALLY. IN THE MIXED YEARLING AND HEIFER DIVISION THERE WERE NUMEROUS LOADS WHICH DRIFTED IN AND A GOOD SHARE OF THESE WERE GOOD AND CHOICE LIGHT KINDS. THIS END OF THE TRADE ALSO BROKE TOWARD THE END OF THE SESSION ON INBETWEEN GRADES BEING QUOTABLE WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER. COWS AND ALL CUTTERS WERE QUITE SCARCE AND THERE WAS PRACTICALLY NO CHANGE IN VALUES HERE FROM YESTERDAY. THE DEMAND FOR MEDIUM BULLS WAS NARROW AND SOME FURTHER PRICE CONCESSIONS WERE NECESSARY IN ORDER TO EFFECT A CLEARANCE, VALUES RULING WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER. VEALERS SOLD UNEVENLY STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER, MOSTLY ON PACKER ACCOUNT.

A LOAD OF CHOICE STEERS AVERAGING AROUND 1230# PLACED THE TOP AT $14.00, WHILE SEVERAL LOADS OF MEDIUMWEIGHTS EARNED $13.85 AND $13.90. A LOAD OF HEAVY STEERS SCALING 1452# -CHOICE IN CONDITION, BUT LACKING SOMEWHAT IN QUALITY - STOPPED AT $13.60, WITH THE BULK FROM THIS PRICE DOWNWARD TO $12.25, SOME LOWER GRADE MATERIAL ON DOWN TO $11.50 OR BELOW. THE ABOVE MENTIONED TEXAS STEERS RANGED FROM $11.40 TO $12.50. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS CLEARED LARGELY AT $12.25 TO $14.35, TWO CARS OF CHOICE 598 AND 628# HEIFERS REGISTERING $15.00, AND ONE LOAD SOMEWHAT HEAVIER AT $14.35. MOST OF THE COWS TURNED AT $9.00 TO $10.75, AND DESIRABLE LOW CUTTERS $6.00 TO $7.00, SOME "SHELLY" KINDS DOWN TO $5.00 OR BELOW. WHILE AN OUTSTANDING MEDIUM BULL HERE AND THERE REACHED $10.00, THE PRACTICAL AND LATE TOP WAS $9.75, OTHERS DOWNWARD ACCORDING TO CONDITION. GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WENT ON A TWO PRICE BASIS OF $14.25 AND $14.50 FOR THE BULK.

HOGS: A SLIGHT INCREASE IN LOCAL HOG SUPPLIES COUPLED WITH A SUBSTANTIAL DECREASE IN SHIPMENTS COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO RESULTED IN PRICES REACTING FROM THE RELATIVELY HIGH LEVELS OF MONDAY. DECLINES FIGURED 10-20¢ ON OPENING ROUNDS BUT LATER TRADE WHICH CONSTITUTED BULK OF TRANSACTIONS, WAS ON THE ACCOUNT OF ALL INTERESTS AT A DOWNTURN OF 20-30¢ FROM MONDAY. CLOSING ROUNDS WERE SLOW AT THE EXTREME DECLINE, OCCASIONAL SALES EVEN REFLECTING GREATER LOSS. MOST LIGHT LIGHTS SHARED THE DECLINES WHILE PIGS FOUND QUITE A READY OUTLET TO SHIPPERS AT UNCHANGED FIGURES. PACKING SOWS OPENED WEAK TO 10¢ LOWER AND FINISHED 15-20¢ LOWER. RECEIPTS HERE WERE ESTIMATED AT 13,500 INCLUDING 1,000 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 12,953 LAST MONDAY AND 20,574 CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

EARLY TRANSACTIONS, MOSTLY ON THE ACCOUNT OF SHIPPERS AND BUTCHERS, COMPRISED GOOD TO CHOICE 160-230# WEIGHTS AT $11.15 TO $11.25, LATTER PRICE BEING THE PRACTICAL TOP. AFTER PACKERS ENTERED THE MARKET AROUND MID-SESSION, BULK OF 160-240# DESCRIPTIONS MOVED WITHIN THE NARROW RANGE OF $11.10 TO $11.15, AN OCCASIONAL PART LOAD OF 250-260# KINDS AT $11.00. AT THE EXTREME CLOSE, ORDERS WERE ALMOST ENTIRELY LACKING AND PACKERS WERE ABLE TO PICK UP A FEW LOADS OF QUITE DESIRABLE 190-230# HOGS AS WELL AS A LIBERAL SPRINKLING OF TRUCK HOGS AS LOW AS $11.00 TO $11.05. MAJORITY OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS MOVED AT $10.50 TO $11.00, 90-130# PIGS GOING AT $9.25 TO $10.50, QUITE A SUBSTANTIAL NUMBER OF ONE THIRTIES UP TO $10.75. BIG END OF PACKING SOWS REALIZED $9.50 TO $9.60, LATTER PRICE MORE POPULAR, A FEW SELLING EARLY AS HIGH AS $9.75.

SHEEP: SHEEP AND LAMB RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 2,000 HEAD INCLUDING 1,000 BILLED THROUGH COMPARED WITH ACTUAL MARKETINGS OF 2,373 LAST TUESDAY AND 2,992 SAME DAY A YEAR AGO. THE MARKET WAS FAIRLY ACTIVE TO PACKERS, CLIPPED LAMBS BEING QUOTED STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER WHEN THE LESS DESIRABLE QUALITY WAS CONSIDERED. SPRING LAMBS WERE MORE NUMEROUS AND FOUND A FULLY STEADY OUTLET, SHEEP BEING UNCHANGED. PACKERS PAID $14.25 FOR THREE DECKS OF GOOD 74-80# CLIPPED LAMBS AND $14.00 FOR A LOAD CARRYING A LITTLE MORE WEIGHT. SOME LESS DESIRABLE LAMBS REMAINED UNSOLD UP TO A LATE HOUR. CULLS ARE SALABLE AROUND $10.00 TO $11.50. PACKERS PAID $16.50 TO $17.00 FOR SEVERAL SIZABLE LOTS OF 56-65# SPRING LAMBS. A CITY BUTCHER PAID $17.50 FOR 25 HEAD OF CHOICE 76# AVERAGES AND $18.00 FOR 15 HEAD OF 80# SPECIALTIES. MOST OF THE ODD LOTS OF SHORN EWES SOLD TO PACKERS AT $5.50 TO $6.50, THE PRICE VARYING ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: FED STEERS&YLGS. MOSTLY FULLY STEADY; CHOICE GRADES MODERATELY ACTIVE; OTHERS STEADY; FED STEERS&YLGS. $12.75-14.00; HEIFERS $12.00-13.75; COWS $9.00-10.75; CUTTERS $6.75-8.00; BULLS $9.25-9.50; VEALS $12.50, FEW $13.00; STOCKERS $11.25-12.35.
HOGS: SLOW, MOSTLY 10-15¢ LOWER; TOP $10.75; 190-250# $10.35-10.65; 260-340# $10.00-10.35; 140-190# $9.50-10.50; SOWS & STAGS $9.40-9.75; FEEDER PIGS $9.00-10.00.
SHEEP: ALL CLASSES GENERALLY STEADY; CALIF. SPRING LAMBS HELD ABOVE $16.50; NATIVES $15.50-16.00; WOOLED LAMBS UP TO $15.00; CLIPPED $13.75; SHORN EWES $6.00-6.50; CALIF. FEEDING LAMBS $14.00; SHEARING LAMBS $14.50 DOWN.

5-14-29 ACA 2:40 P.M.

- SEE OTHER SIDE -

-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, TUESDAY, MAY 14, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- SLOW, STEADY MARKET ON MOST KILLING CLASSES; LOWER GRADES PREDOMINATING; BULK EARLY SALES $13.00 TO $14.00, SPRINKLING $12.25 TO $12.75; SEVERAL LOADS WELL CONDITIONED WEIGHTY BULLOCKS IN RUN, UNDERTONE ON SUCH KINDS WEAK; NO TOPPY STEERS SOLD; SEVERAL LOADS LIGHT HEIFERS $14.00 TO $14.40; MOST CUTTER COWS $6.50 TO $7.50; LIGHT LOW CUTTERS DOWN TO $6.00; WEIGHTY SAUSAGE BULLS UP TO $10.00, MOST OFFERINGS $9.25 TO $9.80; BIDDING $10.50 TO $11.50 ON 100 TO 115-LB. VEALERS OR 50¢ LOWER, INPROVED KILLING QUALITY CONSIDERED; STRICTLY GOOD AND CHOICE SMALL KILLER AND SHIPPER VEALERS $14.00 TO $14.50 MOSTLY; FEW STOCKERS AND FEEDERS IN RUN, MOSTLY $11.75 TO $13.00; WEIGHTY MONTANA HAY FEDS ON COUNTRY ACCOUNT LATE MONDAY $12.75.

HOGS:- SLOW, MOSTLY STEADY TO 10¢ LOWER THAN MONDAY'S AVERAGE; 180 TO 220-LB. WEIGHTS SHOWING MOST DECLINE; TOP $11.35 PAID FOR AN OCCASIONAL LOAD OF AROUND 200-LB. AVERAGES; BULK OF BETTER GRADE 160 TO 220-LB. WEIGHTS $11.10 TO $11.30; 230 TO 260-LB. AVERAGES $10.95 TO $11.15; 270 TO 320-LB. WEIGHTS $10.65 TO $11.00; AROUND 370-LB. AVERAGES AT $10.50; DESIRABLE 130 TO 150-LB. WEIGHTS $10.60 TO $11.15, CHOICE SORTS UP TO $11.25; PIGS MOSTLY $9.75 TO $10.75; BULK PACKING SOWS $9.75 TO $10.00, SMOOTH LIGHT WEIGHTS UP TO $10.15 AND $10.25.

SHEEP:- VERY SLOW; FEW SALES STEADY TO SHADE LOWER; FEW LOADS GOOD TO CHOICE AROUND 90-LB. WOOLED LAMBS $16.00; PRACTICALLY NO SHORN KINDS SOLD, BEST HELD ABOVE $14.75; FEW 99-LB. CALIFORNIAS $13.50; GOOD TO CHOICE 76-LB. CALIFORNIA SPRINGERS $17.60; SHEEP SCARCE; FEW MEDIUM TO GOOD SHORN NATIVE EWES $6.00; FEEDING AND SHEARING LAMBS NOMINAL.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- FED STEER AND YEARLING MARKET NOT FULLY ESTABLISHED; ~~FEW EARLY SALES LIGHT~~ YEARLINGS STEADY; INDICATIONS STEADY ON FED STEERS; WEIGHTY FED STEERS VERY SCARCE; SLAUGHTER COWS SLOW, MOSTLY STEADY; BULLS AND VEALERS STEADY TO WEAK; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS FULLY STEADY; FAT LIGHT YEARLINGS EARLY $13.00 TO $14.50; SEVERAL LOADS CHOICE YEARLING STEERS AND MIXED YEARLINGS HELD ABOVE $14.50; BULK FED STEERS ELIGIBLE TO SELL AROUND $12.75 TO $14.00; BUTCHER COWS MOSTLY $9.00 TO $10.50; ALL CUTTERS $6.00 TO $7.75; MEDIUM BULLS $8.75 TO $9.50; PRACTICAL VEAL TOP $13.00; FOUR LOADS CHOICE 446-LB. SHORT YEARLING STOCKERS $15.00, OTHER LESS DESIRABLE STOCKERS $11.50 TO $13.50.

HOGS:- FAIRLY ACTIVE, UNEVEN, WEAK TO 15¢ LOWER THAN MONDAY'S AVERAGE; TOP $10.85 ON 160 TO 230-LBS.; BULK DESIRABLE 150 TO 250-LBS. $10.65 TO $10.85, LIGHTER WEIGHTS AT $10.30; 260 TO 300-LBS. $10.45 TO $10.65; PACKING SOWS $9.25 TO $9.75; STOCK PIGS $9.50 TO $10.60.

SHEEP:- CLIPPED LAMBS 10 TO 15¢ LOWER; SHEEP AND SPRING LAMBS FULLY 25¢ LOWER; WOOLED LAMBS AROUND 50¢ OFF; TOP ARIZONA SPRING LAMBS $16.35, OTHERS $16.10 TO $16.25; BEST CLIPPERS $13.70, OTHERS $12.85 TO $13.50; WOOLSKINS $14.50; ARIZONA EWES $6.00 TO$6.25.

HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$10.80-11.05	$10.40-11.15	$10.35-10.70	$ 9.85-10.60
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	10.90-11.15	10.60-11.35	10.65-10.85	10.00-10.75
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	10.75-11.15	10.25-11.35	10.65-10.85	9.65-10.70
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.50-11.15	9.85-11.30	10.30-10.85	9.25-10.35
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.25- 9.70	9.50-10.25	8.75- 9.75	9.15- 9.85
SLAUGHTERPIGS(90-130#)		MED-CH	9.00-10.75	9.25-10.85	9.25-10.60	-----------
FDR &STKR.PIGS(70-130#)		MED-CH	8.75-10.75	-----------	9.25-10.60	8.75-10.00
AV. COST & WT. MON. (PIGS EXC)			11.25-191#	10.87-239#	10.65-224#	10.46-251#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	-----------	13.25-14.50	-----------	-----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.50-14.25	14.25-14.90	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.25
		GOOD	12.75-13.50	13.25-14.25	12.50-13.25	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.60-14.50	14.25-15.00	13.25-14.25	13.60-14.60
		GOOD	12.35-13.75	13.25-14.25	12.75-13.65	12.75-13.60
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.50-15.15	13.65-14.75	13.75-14.60
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.50	13.00-13.75	13.00-13.75
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	12.00-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.00
		COMMON	9.75-12.25	10.75-12.75	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.00
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.25-15.25	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.25-14.25	13.50-14.50	13.00-13.75	13.00-13.75
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.00-14.75	13.25-14.25	13.25-14.25
		GOOD	13.00-14.25	13.00-14.00	12.00-13.50	12.00-13.25
		COM-MED	9.00-13.00	9.25-13.00	8.75-12.25	9.00-12.00
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	12.00-14.00	12.50-14.50	11.75-13.75	11.50-13.75
		GOOD	11.00-13.50	11.50-14.00	10.75-13.25	10.75-13.00
		MEDIUM	9.50-12.75	10.00-13.00	9.25-12.00	9.00-12.00
COWS:		CHOICE	11.25-12.25	11.50-12.25	10.75-12.00	10.75-12.00
		GOOD	10.00-11.25	9.75-11.50	9.50-10.75	9.50-10.75
		COM-MED	8.50-10.00	7.75- 9.75	8.00- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
		LOW CUT-CUT	5.00- 8.50	6.00- 7.75	6.00- 8.00	6.25- 8.25
BULLS: (YLG.EXC.BEEF.)		GD-CH	9.75-11.00	10.00-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		CUT-MED	7.50- 9.75	8.00-10.00	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	9.75-13.00	9.00-11.50	9.50-13.00	10.00-12.50
		CULL-COM	6.50- 9.75	7.00- 9.00	6.50- 9.50	6.50-10.00
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	13.00-14.50	10.00-14.50	10.50-13.50	10.50-13.50
		MEDIUM	10.50-13.00	9.50-10.00	9.00-10.50	9.50-10.50
		CULL-COM	6.00-10.50	7.50- 9.50	6.00- 9.00	6.00- 9.50
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.50-13.50	12.00-13.25	12.00-13.50
		COM-MED	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.50-12.00	9.75-12.00
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	12.00-14.25	12.25-14.25
		COM-MED	9.00-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.50-12.00	9.50-12.25
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	11.00-12.00	10.50-12.00	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		COM-MED	8.50-11.00	9.00-10.50	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
COWS:		GD-CH	8.50- 9.25	9.00- 9.50	8.25- 9.25	8.00- 9.00
		COM-MED	7.50- 8.50	8.25- 9.00	7.25- 8.25	6.75- 8.00
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	-----------	-----------	12.25-15.00	11.75-14.25
		MEDIUM	-----------	-----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	-----------	16.50-17.75	15.50-16.60	15.75-16.75
		MEDIUM	-----------	15.50-16.50	14.25-15.50	14.75-15.75
		CULL-COM	-----------	13.25-15.50	12.00-14.25	13.25-14.75
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	13.75-14.50	14.25-15.00	12.75-13.85	13.00-13.75
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	13.75-14.50	14.10-14.90	12.50-13.75	12.75-13.50
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	12.50-13.75	12.50-14.25	11.75-12.75	12.25-13.00
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	12.25-14.25	12.25-14.85	12.00-13.50	12.25-13.25
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	9.50-12.50	10.00-12.50	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.25
YEARLING WETHERS	(110#DN)	MED-CH	9.00-12.50	9.50-13.00	9.00-11.50	8.50-11.75
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	5.25- 6.50	5.75- 7.50	5.00- 6.50	6.00- 7.00
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	5.25- 6.50	5.75- 7.00	4.75- 6.25	6.00- 6.75
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	2.00- 5.25	2.50- 5.75	1.75- 5.00	1.50- 6.00

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**2,500	**1,800	14,000	2,500
CHICAGO	6,000	3,000	16,000	16,000
KANSAS CITY	7,000	1,200	13,000	12,000
OMAHA	6,000	500	12,000	9,000
ST. JOSEPH	1,700	300	7,500	7,000
ST. PAUL	2,500	3,000	8,500	1,800
SIOUX CITY	2,500	200	7,000	1,000
CINCINNATI	275	425	3,900	175
INDIANAPOLIS	1,200	900	9,000	100
PITTSBURGH	- -	150	1,300	800
BUFFALO	100	175	960	150
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	29,775	11,650	93,660	50,525
ONE WEEK AGO	34,350	13,650	68,550	38,200
ONE YEAR AGO	30,325	11,700	96,000	34,900
TO DATE THIS WEEK	111,850	40,375	276,540	170,850
SAME PERIOD WEEK AGO	116,300	44,700	267,450	143,800
SAME PERIOD YEAR AGO	120,935	38,680	332,720	140,700

**RUN INCLUDES 1,100 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 1,500 THROUGH AND 500 DIRECT; CHICAGO 2,500; KANSAS CITY 1,500; OMAHA 750; ST. JOSEPH 800; SIOUX CITY 500; ST. PAUL 120.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-TUESDAY-MAY 14, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	3,095	1,707	14,293	2,419
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	511	313	5,415	287
PACKER PURCHASES	3,039	1,609	7,173	1,543

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-WEDNESDAY-MAY 15, 1929.
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P.M.)

CATTLE: EARLY MORNING ESTIMATES PLACED THE CATTLE RUN AT 2,500 TODAY, AS AGAINST ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 2,308 LAST WEDNESDAY, AND A TOTAL OF 2,185 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

AS THE ABOVE ESTIMATE INCLUDED A CONSIDERABLE NUMBER OF CATTLE ON THROUGH BILLING, THE SALABLE SUPPLY OF STEERS WAS VERY LIGHT AND APROXIMATED FAMINE PROPORTIONS AS COMPARED WITH THE FEAST OF YESTERDAY. FROM THE SUPPLY SIDE IT APPEARED THAT THERE WOULD BE SOME CHANCE FOR REACTION, BUT BUYERS WERE NOT IN A MOOD TO TAKE ON ANY ADDITIONAL MATERIAL AT HIGHER PRICES AND IN CONSEQUENCE THE MARKET RULED SLOW AND CLOSED AT ABOUT STEADY PRICES. WHILE A FEW SALES HERE AND THERE LOOKED A LITTLE STRONGER, OTHERS IN TURN APPEARED WEAKER AND IN THE CASE OF WEIGHTY STEERS NO TRANSACTIONS HAD BEEN MADE AT A LATE TRADING HOUR. THE CONDITION OF THE OFFERINGS WAS SUCH AS TO PLACE THE MAJORITY AMONG THE MEDIUM AND GOOD GRADES. THERE WAS A SIZABLE SHOWING OF MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS AGAIN TODAY, SEVERAL LOADS OF WHICH WERE SUFFICIENTLY WELL FINISHED TO GRADE CHOICE. WHILE THERE WAS SOME LACK OF ACTIVITY NOTICEABLE ON EARLY ROUNDS, LATER A CLEARANCE WAS MADE ABOUT IN LINE WITH THE TUESDAY DEAL. BUTCHER COWS EXPERIENCED NO DIFFICULTY IN CHANGING HANDS AT UNCHANGED TERMS, NOR WAS THERE MUCH DIFFERENCE IN CUTTERS AND DESIRABLE LOW CUTTERS, BUT ON EMACIATED LOW CUTTERS IT WAS A CATCH-AS-CATCH-CAN PROPOSITION. MEDIUM BULLS MET A NARROW DEMAND AT WEAK AND IN SPOTS LOWER PRICES, WHILE VEALERS LOST GROUND TO THE EXTENT OF 25 TO 50 CENTS.

A LOAD OF YEARLING STEERS AVERAGING 835# TOPPED THE MARKET AT $14.00, WHILE A FEW LOTS OF MEDIUMWEIGHTS EARNED $13.85 AND $13.90. FOR THE BULK OF ALL STEERS IT WAS A $12.50 TO $13.80 DEAL, SOME PLAINER KINDS DOWNWARD TO $11.75 OR BELOW. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS TURNED AT $12.25 TO $14.25 LARGELY, WITH TWO LOADS OF CHOICE 608 AND 718# HEIFERS AT $14.75 AND $14.85 RESPECTIVELY. A FEW COWS SOLD UPWARD TO $11.50 OR ABOVE, BUT THE MAJORITY OF SALES WERE MADE BETWEEN $9.00 AND $10.75, WITH DESIRABLE LOW CUTTERS $6.00 TO $7.00, THIN SHELLY KINDS DOWN TO $5.00 AND MUCH LOWER IN INSTANCES. MEDIUM BULLS WENT AT $9.75 AND DOWN ACCORDING TO CONDITION, WITH BUTCHER KINDS UPWARD FROM $10.00. GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WERE TAKEN LARGELY ON SHIPPER ACCOUNT AT $14.00.

HOGS: INCREASED RECEIPTS ASSISTED ALL BUYING INTERESTS IN CHEAPENING COSTS IN THE HOG YARDS AND FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE FEBRUARY 26, BULK OF HOGS SOLD UNDER THE $11.00 LEVEL. TRADE OPENED ON A 25¢ LOWER BASIS COMPARED WITH TUESDAY'S BEST TIME OR 15¢ UNDER THE PREVIOUS DAY'S AVERAGE. SHIPPING ORDERS WERE LIGHT AND A PERIOD OF INACTIVITY FOLLOWED. ON LATER ROUNDS SHIPPING OUTLET EXPANDED AND PACKERS DISPLAYED SOME ACTIVITY, MAJORITY OF LATE SALES BEING MADE IN LINE WITH EARLY TRANSACTIONS AND A GOOD CLEARANCE WAS EFFECTED. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS SHARED THE DECLINES, THESE BEING QUOTED WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER. PACKING SOWS DROPPED OFF 10-15¢. RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 14,000 INCLUDING 2,000 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 12,173 LAST WEDNESDAY AND 15,665 A YEAR AGO. TOTAL AT ELEVEN MARKETS WAS 35% GREATER THAN THE TOTAL A WEEK AGO.

PRACTICALLY ALL LIGHT WEIGHT AND BUTCHER HOGS SOLD WITHIN A RANGE OF $10.85 TO $11.00. LATTER PRICE, WHICH WAS TOP, WAS PAID FREELY FOR SORTED 170-210# WEIGHTS AND MAJORITY OF 160-250# KINDS EARNED $10.90 TO $10.95. SEVERAL LOADS SCALING 250-280# TURNED AT $10.85, SOME LOWER GRADE LIGHTER WEIGHTS GOING AT THE SAME PRICE. MAJORITY OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS CASHED AT $10.25 TO $10.85. MOST 120-130# PIGS MOVED AT $10.00 TO $10.25, STRONG ONE THIRTIES UP TO $10.50. LIGHTER PIGS SOLD DOWN TO $9.00. BULK OF PACKING SOWS CASHED AT $9.50.

SHEEP: SALABLE SUPPLIES WERE LIGHT IN THE SHEEPHOUSE TODAY, MOST OF THE ESTIMATED 2,500 HEAD BEING ON THROUGH OR DIRECT BILLING. THE RUN LAST WEDNESDAY TOTALED 1,320 HEAD AND THE SAME NUMBER ARRIVED CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR. THE ONLY LOAD LOTS TODAY WERE TWO LOADS OF GOOD TO CHOICE CLIPPED LAMBS WHICH SOLD FULLY STEADY. ODD LOTS OF SPRING LAMBS SOLD ON A BASIS THAT APPEARED LOWER BUT HARDLY ENOUGH WERE OFFERED TO TEST VALUES. SHEEP CONSISTED OF ODD LOTS OF SHORN EWES THAT SOLD STEADY. PACKERS PAID $14.40 FOR 155 HEAD OF 86# LAMBS AND $14.25 FOR ABOUT AN EQUAL NUMBER AVERAGING 89#. CULLS WERE SORTED OFF AT $10.00 TO $11.50. CITY BUTCHERS PAID $17.00 TO $17.50 FOR CHOICE SPRING LAMBS, PACKERS ACQUIRING A FEW LOTS AROUND $16.50. MOST SHORN EWES WENT ON PACKER ACCOUNT AT $5.50 TO $6.50, ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY.

OMAHA MARKET-11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: FED STEERS & YLGS. UNEVEN; FEW EARLY SALES MOSTLY WEIGHTY STEERS STRONG TO LITTLE HIGHER; GENERALLY VERY SLOW AND WEAK; HEIFERS WEAK; OTHER KILLING CLASSES STEADY; STOCKERS&FEEDERS SCARCE, STEADY; FED STEERS&YLGS. $12.75-13.90; CHOICE 1022# $14.50; 5-15¢ HIGHER THAN MATES; HEIFERS $12.00-13.40; SOME HELD HIGHER; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00-$10.75; NUMEROUS SMALL LOTS $11.00-11.50; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.75-8.00; MEDIUM BULLS $9.00-9.60; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $12.00, FEW $13.00 WITH SELECTED LOTS TO INDEPENDENTS $13.50-14.00; STOCKERS&FEEDERS $11.50-12.50; LIGHT STOCKERS AROUND 550# $13.75.

HOGS: SLOW, MOSTLY 10-15¢ LOWER; TOP $10.65 ON 215# BUTCHERS; BULK BETTER GRADE 190-240# $10.40-10.50; BULK 240-260# BUTCHERS $10.25-10.50; 260-280# $10.15-10.25; 280-320# $9.90-10.15; 140-190# SELECTIONS $9.50-10.50; PACKING SOWS AND STAGES $9.50-9.75.

SHEEP: LAMBS STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER; SHEEP WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; FEEDERS STEADY; GOOD GRADES CALIF. SPRING LAMBS 75-77# $16.00-16.25; MEDIUM CALIF. $14.50; FED WOOLED LAMBS $14.25-$15.00; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $13.00-13.65; SHORN EWES MOSTLY $6.00 DOWN; FEW HEAD $6.75; CALIF. FEEDING LAMBS $14.00; 2 CARS CALIF. FEEDING YEARLINGS 82# $10.50.

5-15-29ACA2:00P.M.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- Very slow, but steady to strong market on fed steers and yearlings; light yearlings higher in instances; medium to good grades predominating, but few loads strictly choice yearlings in run; part load mixed yearlings $14.75, some held around $15.00; best medium weights $14.65; light heifers $14.40; numerous loads light heifer and mixed yearlings $12.75 to $14.25; market especially slow on weighty bullocks, best kinds early $14.35; stockers and feeders fully steady; she stock slightly more active to shippers and speculative interests, mostly; bulls firm and vealers steady to 50¢ lower, light kinds showing decline; parctical top weighty sausage bulls $10.00; talking $9.50 to $11.00 on 95 to 110-lb. vealers, shipper kinds $14.00 to $14.50.

HOGS:- Slow, mostly 10 to 15¢ lower, spots 20¢ lower on light butchers; top $11.30 paid for around 200-lb. weights; bulk of good and choice 160 to 220-lb. averages $11.00 to $11.20; a few loads of medium quality down to $10.60; desirable 230 to 280-lb. averages mostly $10.70 to $11.00; bulk of good and choice 130 to 150-lb. weights $10.50 to $11.10; pigs mostly $9.50 to $10.50; bulk packing sows $9.70 to $10.00, smooth light weights up to $10.10 and $10.15.

SHEEP:- Very slow; few opening sales around 25¢ lower; some bids off more; good to choice 86 to 94-lb. shorn lambs $13.75 to $14.00, few $13.50; choice 90-lb. deck to city butcher $14.50; few loads good to choice woolskins unsold, held above $15.75; clipped throwouts $10.00 to $12.00; scattered lots native springers $17.25 down; sheep scarce, around steady; few medium ewes $6.00; feeding and shearing lambs nominal.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- Fed steers and yearlings very slow; few sales light yearlings about steady; most bids on weighty yearlings and steers weak to lower; waterfills liberal; slaughter cows scarce, mostly steady; bulls little changed; vealers and calves weak to 50¢ lower; few choice light weight stockers about steady; general market on stockers and feeders 15 to 25¢ lower; early top choice 860-lb. yearling steers $14.50; mixed yearlings $14.35; bulk fed steers eligible to sell around $12.50 to $14.00; butcher cows $9.00 to $10.50; medium bulls $8.75 to $9.50; vealers mostly $12.00 down; few selected kinds $13.00.

HOGS:- Fairly active 10 to 15¢ lower than Tuesday's average; top $10.70 on choice 225 to 240-lbs.; packer top $10.60 on 180 to 240-lbs.; bulk desirable 140 to 260-lbs. $10.45 to $10.65; 270 to 325-lbs. $10.25 to $10.50; packing sows mostly $9.25 to $9.65; stock pigs scarce, steady, mostly $9.50 to $10.60.

SHEEP:- Lambs and spring lambs generally 25 to 40¢ lower; woolskins off most; sheep about steady; top Arizona spring lambs to shippers $16.50, others mostly $15.00 to $16.10; best shorn lambs to shippers $13.60, others $12.75 to $13.50; top woolskins $14.50, others $14.15; Arizona ewes $6.15 and $6.25.

			NAT'L. STK. YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)						
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$10.65-10.90	$10.35-11.00	$10.25-10.60	$ 9.75-10.50
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	10.75-11.00	10.50-11.30	10.50-10.70	9.90-10.65
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	10.65-11.00	10.15-11.30	10.50-10.65	9.50-10.65
Lt. Lts.	(130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.25-11.00	9.75-11.20	10.25-10.65	9.25-10.30
Packing sows, smooth and rough			9.15- 9.60	9.40-10.15	8.75- 9.65	9.15- 9.75
Slaughter Pigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	9.00-10.50	9.25-10.75	9.25-10.60	-----------
Fdr & Stkr. Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	8.75-10.50	-----------	9.25-10.60	8.75-10.00
Av. Cost & Wt. Tues. (Pigs Exc)			11.07-207#	10.99-237#	10.63-223#	10.30-263#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	-----------	13.25-14.65	-----------	-----------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.50-14.25	14.00-14.90	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.25
		Good	12.75-13.50	13.25-14.25	12.50-13.25	12.75-13.50
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.60-14.50	14.25-15.00	13.25-14.35	13.60-14.60
		Good	12.95-13.75	13.25-14.25	12.75-13.65	12.75-13.00
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	14.00-15.00	14.40-15.15	13.65-14.75	13.75-14.60
		Good	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.40	13.00-13.75	13.00-13.75
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	12.00-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.00
		Common	9.75-12.25	10.75-12.75	9.50-11.75	9.75-12.00
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)		Choice	14.00-15.00	14.25-15.25	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		Good	13.25-14.25	13.50-14.50	13.00-13.75	13.00-13.75
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	14.00-15.00	14.00-14.75	13.25-14.50	13.25-14.25
		Good	13.00-14.25	13.00-14.00	12.00-13.50	12.00-13.25
		Com-Med	9.00-13.00	9.25-13.00	8.75-12.25	9.00-12.00
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	12.00-14.00	12.50-14.50	11.75-13.75	11.50-13.75
		Good	11.00-13.50	11.50-14.00	10.75-13.25	10.75-13.00
		Medium	9.50-12.75	10.00-13.00	9.25-12.00	9.00-12.00
Cows:		Choice	11.25-12.25	11.50-12.25	10.75-12.00	10.75-12.00
		Good	10.00-11.25	9.75-11.50	9.50-10.75	9.50-10.75
		Com-Med	8.50-10.00	7.75- 9.75	8.00- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
		LowCut-Cut	5.00- 8.50	6.00- 7.75	6.00- 8.00	6.25- 8.25
Bulls: (Ylg. Exc. Beef.)		Gd-Ch	9.75-11.00	10.00-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		Cut-Med	7.50- 9.75	8.00-10.10	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
Calves:	(500# dn)	Med-Ch	9.75-13.00	9.00-11.50	9.00-13.00	10.00-12.50
		Cull-Com	6.50- 9.75	7.00- 9.00	6.00- 9.00	6.50-10.00
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	12.50-14.00	9.75-14.50	10.00-13.00	10.50-13.50
		Medium	10.00-12.50	9.00- 9.75	8.50-10.00	9.50-10.50
		Cull-Com	6.00-10.00	7.00- 9.00	6.00- 8.50	6.00- 9.50
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.75-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.50
		Com-Med	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.00
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	11.75-14.25	12.25-14.25
		Com-Med	9.00-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.25
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	11.00-12.00	10.50-12.00	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		Com-Med	8.50-11.00	9.00-10.50	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.50- 9.25	9.00- 9.50	8.00- 9.00	8.00- 9.00
		Com-Med	7.50- 8.50	8.25- 9.00	7.00- 8.00	6.75- 8.00
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	-----------	-----------	12.25-15.00	11.75-14.25
		Medium	-----------	-----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
Spring Lambs:		Gd-Ch	-----------	16.50-17.75	15.00-16.50	15.50-16.50
		Medium	-----------	15.50-16.50	13.75-15.00	14.50-15.50
		Cull-Com	-----------	13.25-15.50	11.75-13.75	13.25-14.50
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	13.75-14.50	13.35-14.50	12.50-13.60	13.00-13.65
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	13.75-14.50	13.75-14.50	12.25-13.50	12.75-13.50
	(92# dn)	Medium	12.50-13.75	12.25-13.85	11.50-12.50	12.25-13.00
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	12.25-14.25	12.00-14.25	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.25
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	9.50-12.50	9.75-12.25	8.75-11.50	9.50-12.25
Yearling Wethers	(110# dn)	Med-Ch	9.00-12.50	9.50-13.00	8.75-11.50	8.50-11.75
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	5.25- 6.50	5.75- 7.25	5.00- 6.50	5.75- 6.75
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	5.25- 6.50	5.75- 7.00	4.75- 6.25	5.75- 6.50
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	2.00- 5.25	2.50- 5.75	1.75 5.00	1.50- 5.75

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Daily Report of Livestock Market-Thursday-May 16, 1929.

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
National Stock Yards	**2,000	**2,000	15,000	3,500
Chicago	7,000	3,000	25,000	18,000
Kansas City	2,000	300	10,000	7,000
Omaha	2,500	200	9,500	14,000
St. Joseph	1,200	200	8,000	5,000
St. Paul	2,000	1,800	4,500	100
Sioux City	2,000	100	6,500	3,500
Cincinnati	250	425	2,700	250
Indianapolis	600	[illegible]	7,000	100
Pittsburgh	- -	175	2,400	500
Buffalo	- -	175	1,600	75
Total 11 markets	19,550	9,075	92,200	52,025
One week ago	28,200	10,650	75,450	41,025
One year ago	20,575	9,850	68,500	31,825
To date this week	131,400	49,450	368,740	222,875
Same period last week	136,500	55,350	342,900	184,825
Same period last year	141,310	48,530	401,220	172,525

**Run includes 650 cattle and calves on through billing. Today's estimated hog receipts include estimated unloads of through and direct billed hogs as follows: National Stock Yards 2,000 through; Chicago 5,000; Kansas City 1,000; Omaha 1,000; St. Joseph 550; Sioux City 300; St. Paul none.

National Stock Yards Receipts, Shipments and Packer Purchases-Wednesday, May 15, 1929.

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Actual receipts	2,277	1,963	14,514	1,506
Total shipments	767	988	5,264	- - -
Packer purchases	1,794	851	6,644	843

National Stock Yards Livestock Market-Thursday-May 16, 1929.
(Based on Market Conditions and Sales Reported up to 1:00 P.M.)

CATTLE: Receipts of cattle were estimated at 2,000 today, as against actual arrivals of 1,785 last Thursday, and total unloadings of 1,491 the corresponding day last year.

Many of the steers were late in arriving today and consequently the market got away to a slow start on this account, but action was lacking even after the consignments had been yarded. After a lengthy bargaining session final clearance, of the moderately light supply, was made on about a steady basis. While medium and good lightweight steers and yearlings were most numerous there were also a number of medium weights present and one load of outstanding heavy steers in a highly finished condition. Mixed yearlings and heifers proved to be the dark spot in the trade for the salesmen, these dragging along as buyers were bent upon cheapening costs. Many load lots were still in first hands at the noon hour, these selling later in line with the weak to mostly 25¢ lower deal which was prevalent throughout the session. Other killing classes were in light supply and held to a steady deal for the most part, the butcher cow trade starting out actively to all interests, but eased up somewhat on the activity later in the day. Vealer prices were stable with the Tuesday trade, packers taking the majority of the good and choice offerings.

A load of highly desirable 805# yearling steers reached a top of $14.60, establishing a new top for the week as well. Odd lots of light and medium weight steers were found at $13.75 to $13.90, with the bulk $12.40 to $13.60. The above mentioned weighty steers scaled 1537# and exchanged ownership at $13.25. A few loads of Texas steers showing Brahman characteristics went at $11.60 and $11.65. Several loads of mixed yearlings turned at $13.50 to $14.25, with odd lots and heifers downward to $12.00, a load of around 800# heifers cashing at $13.35. Most cows cleared at $9.00 to $10.75, desirable low cutters $6.00 to $7.00, and cutters upward to $8.25. Medium bulls were found at $9.75 and down, with butcher bulls upward to $11.00. Good and choice vealers cashed at $14.00 for the top and bulk.

HOGS: Supplies of hogs continued liberal at eleven principal markets and local shipping outlet was limited. The result was a further downturn in values. Opening sales were made on account of shippers and butchers at a decline of 10-15¢ and with packers entering trade later the loss figured mostly 15¢. Closing rounds were slow, occasional sales reflecting greater loss but a fair clearance was effected. Pigs and light lights were unevenly steady to 25¢ lower. Local receipts were estimated at 15,000 head including 2,000 billed through compared with actual arrivals of 17,601 last Thursday and 10,431 a year ago. Total at eleven markets was over 20% greater than last Thursday's aggregate.

Bulk of all 160-250# weights sold throughout at $10.75 to $10.85 though comparatively few were able to pass $10.80 at the close. Top price was $10.90 for a limited number of choice light weights. Several loads of 260-280# butchers turned at $10.60 to $10.70, occasional lots of heavies selling down to $10.55 and some lower grades as low as $10.50. Majority of 130-150# light lights cashed at $10.25 to $10.75 with pigs scaling 130# and down at $9.00 to $10.25, occasional lots of choice one thirties above the latter figure. Bulk of packing sows sold at $9.35 to $9.40, a few rough heavy descriptions down to $9.25.

SHEEP: Following the sharp downturn to fat lamb values elsewhere, local buying interests were very bearish and with a liberal run here prices dropped off 25-50¢ on all grades of clipped lambs and spring lambs. Sheep were in light supply and held steady. Local receipts were estimated at 3,500 including 1,800 billed through and direct compared with actual marketings of 1,417 last Thursday and 1,300 a year ago. Packers purchased practically all of the clipped lambs, six decks of which cashed at $13.75. One deck of near choice 78# weights topped at $14.00 and a double deck of good 87# weights moved at $13.50. Culls are considered salable around $10.00 to $11.00. Packers purchased a short deck of 75# spring lambs at $16.50 and another less desirable deck at $16.25. City butchers paid up to $17.00 on early rounds for a few small lots of choice kinds. Shorn ewes still sold on packing account at $5.50 to $6.50, the price varying according to weight and quality.

Omaha Market-11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: Fed steers, yearlings about steady with late trade Wednesday; cows steady; bulls and veals strong; stockers and feeders scarce, steady; fed steers and yearlings $12.50-14.00; 1100# weights $14.25; few lots heifers $11.50-13.00; bulk beef cows $9.00-10.75; bulk all cutters $6.75-8.00; medium bulls $9.25-9.75; choice veals $13.00 to $14.00; light kinds $11.00-12.00; heavy calves up to $13.00.

HOGS: Uneven, 10-25, mostly 10-15¢ lower; top $10.50 on 200-230#; bulk 190-240# $10.25 to $10.40; bulk 240-280# butchers $10.00-10.35; 280-340# $9.75-10.00; 140-190# selection $9.25-10.35; packing sows 25-40¢ lower; mostly $9.00-9.35; smooth grades up to $9.50.

SHEEP: Lambs slow, mostly 25¢ lower; spots off more; sheep and feeders steady; 4 cars closely sorted Californias, around 74# averages good to choice to packers $15.75; 2 cars choice average 76# to shippers $15.50; fed wooled lambs $14.00-14.75; fed clipped lambs $12.85-13.25; shorn ewes $6.50 down; California feeding lambs mostly $14.00.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- STRICTLY GOOD AND CHOICE FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS FULLY STEADY, SCARCE, OTHERS IN PREDOMINANT SUPPLY, STEADY TO WEAK; BEST ACTION ON KINDS OF VALUE TO SELL AT $14.00 UPWARD; BULK DAY'S CROP ELIGIBLE TO $13.00 TO $13.75; EARLY TOP LONG YEARLINGS $14.60; SEVERAL LOADS FED NEBRASKAS $14.00 TO $14.50; THESE BEING MEDIUM WEIGHT TO STRONG WEIGHT STEERS; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS VERY SCARCE, COUNTRY DEMAND CONTINUING NARROW, HOWEVER; SHE STOCK ABOUT STEADY; FEW BUYERS INTERESTED IN CUTTERS; BULLS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER, MOSTLY 10 TO 15¢ UP, WEIGHTY SAUSAGE OFFERINGS $10.00 TO $10.25 ON SHIPPER ACCOUNT; GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS STEADY TO SMALL KILLERS AT $13.00 TO $14.00, MOST LIGHT OFFERINGS $10.00 TO $11.00, WEAK.

HOGS:- SLOW, MOSTLY 15 TO 20¢ LOWER ON WEIGHT AVERAGES UNDER 240-LB., HEAVIER WEIGHTS AROUND 10¢ LOWER; TOP $11.15 PAID FOR A LOAD OF 200-LB. WEIGHTS; AN OCCASIONAL LOAD AT $11.05 AND $11.10; BULK OF BETTER GRADE 160 TO 220-LB. WEIGHTS $10.80 TO $11.00; GOOD AND CHOICE 230 TO 290-LB. AVERAGES MOSTLY $10.60 TO $10.80; AROUND 310-LB. WEIGHTS AT $10.50; DESIRABLE 130 TO 150-LB. WEIGHTS MOSTLY $10.40 TO $10.85; PIGS LARGELY $9.50 TO $10.35; BULK PACKING SOWS $9.60 TO $9.80 SMOOTH LIGHT WEIGHTS UP TO $10.00.

SHEEP:- MARKET VERY SLOW; FEW OPENING SALES AND BIDS AROUND 50¢ LOWER; GOOD TO CHOICE 84-LB. SHORN LAMBS $13.75, SOME HELD HIGHER; TWO LOADS MEDIUM TO GOOD NAVAJO WOOLSKINS AROUND 85-LB. $14.00; CHOICE WOOLSKINS HELD ABOVE $15.00; THREE LOADS GOOD AROUND 70-LB. CALIFORNIA SPRINGERS, $16.75, BEST HELD HIGHER; FEW THROWOUTS $14.00; SHEEP STEADY; SCATTERED LOTS FEW EWES $6.50 TO $7.00; FEEDING AND SHEARING LAMBS NOMINAL.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- FAIRLY ACTIVE TRADE ON YEARLINGS AT FULLY STEADY PRICES; FED STEERS SCARCE, STEADY WITH QUALITY GENERALLY PLAIN; OTHER KILLING CLASSES CATTLE SCARCE, UNCHANGED; VEALERS AND CALVES STEADY; LIBERAL ACCUMULATION OF WHITE FACED STOCKERS IN DEALERS PENS; GENERAL MARKET ON STOCKERS 25 TO 50¢ LOWER FOR WEEK; BULK FAT LIGHT YEARLINGS $12.75 TO $14.25; CHOICE 813-LB. HEIFERS $14.00; CHOICE MIXED YEARLINGSHELD ABOVE $14.50; FEW MEDIUM TO GOOD LIGHT WEIGHT FED STEERS $12.00 TO $13.50; SIX LOADS 864-LB. SOUTH TEXAS GRASSERS $11.75; BULK BUTCHER COWS $9.00 TO $10.50, ODD HEAD UP TO $11.50; GOOD TO CHOICE VEALERS $10.50 TO $12.50, FEW $13.00.

HOGS:- FAIRLY ACTIVE, MOSTLY 5¢ TO 10¢ LOWER THAN WEDNESDAY'S AVERAGE; LARGELY TO SHIPPERS; STOCK PIGS STRONG; TOP $10.60 ON CHOICE 190 TO 240-LB.; BULK DESIRABLE 150 TO 250-LBS. $10.40 TO $10.60; BETTER GRADES 260 TO 350-LBS. $10.00 TO $10.40; PACKING SOWS $8.75 TO $9.40; STOCK PIGS $9.50 TO $10.60.

SHEEP:- SPRING LAMBS UNEVENLY LOWER; FED LAMBS 25 TO 50¢ OFF; SHEEP STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER; TOP ARIZONA SPRING LAMBS TO SHIPPERS $16.40, OTHERS $15.75 TO $16.35; BEST WOOLED LAMBS $14.10; TOP CLIPPERS $13.15, OTHER $12.50 TO $13.00; TOP EWES $6.15.

			NAT'L. STK. YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)						
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$10.50-10.75	$10.25-10.90	$10.00-10.50	$ 9.60-10.35
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	10.65-10.85	10.40-11.15	10.40-10.60	9.80-10.50
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	10.50-10.85	10.00-11.15	10.35-10.60	9.40-10.50
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.25-10.85	9.60-11.00	10.10-10.60	9.25-10.25
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.10- 9.50	9.35-10.00	8.60- 9.50	8.75- 9.50
SLAUGHTER PIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	9.00-10.50	9.00-10.65	9.25-10.65	-----------
FDR &STKR. PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	8.75-10.50	-----------	9.25-10.65	8.50- 9.75
AV. COST & WT. WED. (PIGS EXC)			10.85-213#	10.77-248#	10.43-230#	10.19-249#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	-----------	13.25-14.65	-----------	-----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.50-14.25	14.00-14.90	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.25
		GOOD	12.75-13.50	13.25-14.25	12.50-13.25	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.60-14.50	14.25-15.00	13.25-14.35	13.50-14.50
		GOOD	12.85-13.75	13.25-14.25	12.75-13.65	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.50-15.15	13.65-14.75	13.75-14.60
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.35-14.50	13.00-13.75	12.75-13.75
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	12.00-13.25	12.50-13.35	11.75-13.00	11.75-12.75
		COMMON	9.75-12.25	10.75-12.50	9.50-11.75	9.50-11.75
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.25-15.25	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.25-14.25	13.50-14.50	13.00-13.75	12.75-13.75
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.00-14.75	13.25-14.50	13.00-14.00
		GOOD	12.75-14.00	13.00-14.00	12.00-13.50	11.75-13.00
		COM-MED	9.00-13.00	9.25-13.00	8.75-12.25	8.75-11.75
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	12.00-14.00	12.50-14.50	11.75-13.75	11.50-13.50
		GOOD	11.00-13.25	11.50-14.00	10.75-13.25	10.75-12.75
		MEDIUM	9.50-12.50	10.00-13.00	9.25-12.00	9.00-12.00
COWS:		CHOICE	11.25-12.25	11.50-12.25	10.75-12.00	10.75-12.00
		GOOD	10.00-11.25	9.75-11.50	9.50-10.75	9.50-10.75
		COM-MED	8.50-10.00	7.75- 9.75	8.00- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
		LOW CUT-CUT	5.00- 8.50	6.00- 7.75	6.00- 8.00	6.25- 8.25
BULLS: (YLG. EXC. BEEF.)		GD-CH	9.75-11.00	10.00-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		CUT-MED	7.50- 9.75	8.00-10.25	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	9.75-13.00	9.00-11.00	9.00-13.00	10.00-13.00
		CULL-COM	6.50- 9.75	7.00- 9.00	6.00- 9.00	6.50-10.00
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	12.50-14.00	10.00-14.50	10.00-13.00	10.50-14.00
		MEDIUM	10.00-12.50	9.00-10.00	8.50-10.00	9.50-10.50
		CULL-COM	6.00-10.00	7.00- 9.00	6.00- 8.50	6.00- 9.50
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.50
		COM-MED	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.00
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	11.75-14.25	12.25-14.25
		COM-MED	9.00-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.25
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	11.00-12.00	10.50-12.00	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		COM-MED	8.50-11.00	9.00-10.50	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
COWS:		GD-CH	8.50- 9.25	9.00- 9.50	8.00- 9.00	8.00- 9.00
		COM-MED	7.50- 8.50	8.25- 9.00	7.00- 8.00	6.75- 8.00
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	-----------	-----------	12.25-15.00	11.75-14.25
		MEDIUM	-----------	-----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:- ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.						
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	-----------	16.25-17.25	15.00-16.40	15.25-16.50
		MEDIUM	-----------	15.25-16.25	13.75-15.00	14.50-15.25
		CULL-COM	-----------	13.00-15.25	11.75-13.75	13.00-14.50
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	13.25-14.00	13.25-14.00	12.00-13.15	12.75-13.25
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	13.25-14.00	13.00-14.00	11.75-13.00	12.50-13.25
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	12.00-13.25	12.00-13.25	11.00-12.00	12.00-12.75
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	11.75-13.75	11.75-13.65	11.25-12.75	12.00-12.85
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	9.00-12.00	9.00-12.00	8.50-11.00	9.50-12.00
YEARLING WETHERS	(110# DN)	MED-CH	9.00-12.25	9.00-12.50	8.50-11.25	8.50-11.75
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	5.25- 6.50	5.75- 7.25	4.75- 6.25	5.75- 6.75
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	5.25- 6.50	5.75- 7.00	4.50- 6.00	5.75- 6.50
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	2.00- 5.25	2.50- 5.75	1.50- 4.75	1.50- 5.75

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National Stock Yards, Illinois.

Daily Report of Livestock Market-Friday-May 17, 1929.

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
National Stock Yards	**800	**800	12,500	1,500
Chicago	2,000	1,000	13,000	14,000
Kansas City	600	600	6,000	2,000
Omaha	600	50	7,000	6,000
St. Joseph	350	50	4,500	4,000
St. Paul	1,700	1,500	6,500	200
Sioux City	1,000	300	5,500	1,000
Cincinnati	350	430	2,300	200
Indianapolis	600	300	7,000	200
Pittsburgh	25	175	2,000	800
Buffalo	200	500	2,880	2,600
Total 11 Markets	8,225	6,225	69,180	32,500
One week ago	7,925	5,375	69,425	37,375
One year ago	7,525	4,800	55,960	26,000
To date this week	139,625	55,675	437,920	250,375
Same period last week	143,325	61,225	412,325	222,200
Same period last year	149,035	53,330	457,410	198,525

**Run includes 350 cattle and calves on through billing. Today's estimated hog receipts include estimated unloadings of through and direct billed hogs as follows: National Stock Yards 1,000 through and 900 direct; Chicago 2,500; Kansas City 900; Omaha 1,300; St. Joseph 100; St. Paul 200; Sioux City 200.

National Stock Yards Receipts, Shipments and Packer Purchases-Thursday-May 16, 1929.

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Actual receipts	2,333	1,862	15,873	3,518
Total shipments	621	723	8,416	817
Packer purchases	2,099	1,563	7,274	2,694

National Stock Yards Livestock Market-Friday-May 17, 1929.

(Based on Market Conditions and Sales Reported up to 1:00pm)

CATTLE: Cattle estimates were placed at 800 today, compared with actual receipts of 1,103 last Friday, and total unloadings of 522 the corresponding day last year.

Outside of a few loads of mixed yearlings there were not enough of the other killing classes here to actually test market conditions. The mixed yearlings met with a continuation of the draggy session which was afforded such kinds yesterday and up to the noon hour most of the small supply was still in first hands. What few deals that had been transacted fell about in line with a 25-50¢ reduction in prices for the week, the greater part of the decline occurring yesterday. One load of common Louisiana steers beside a few very small lots comprised the steer offerings. It was largely the regular Friday clean-up trade on other classes at about steady prices. Vealers hit a decidedly low point for the season, and the lowest since July 23, 1928.

The above mentioned steers exchanged ownership at $11.00, while some sizable lots of 766 and 925# mixed yearlings cleared at $13.50 and $14.00 respectively, with other lots and heifers downward to $12.00. A few cows cleared within the limits of $9.00 to $10.75, with desirable low cutters $6.00 to $7.00, and some cutters upward to $8.25. Medium bulls at $8.75 were limited, with others downward to $7.50 according to condition. Good and choice vealers went largely on shipper account at $13.50.

The demand for all classes of stockers and feeders on country account showed some improvement over a week ago at unchanged prices, an exception being on common and medium steers, these closing 25-35¢ or in spots more lower on very plain kinds. Shipments of steers were, however, very light, mostly lightweights which ranged in price from $9.30 to $13.25. Most cows cleared at $8.25 to $8.75, and heifers largely $9.50 to $10.50.

HOGS: Eastern shipping demand was the best of the week and receipts somewhat lighter than last Friday. Despite this fact, trade was slow at the opening, and sellers had difficulty in boosting values. Considerable unevenness developed and with packers buying quite freely around mid-session, later trade was fairly active and an early clearance was effected. Prices ranged from steady to 10¢ higher, most sales reflecting an upturn of 5-10¢. Packing sows shared the strength and pigs ruled steady to strong, occasional sales higher. Receipts were estimated at 12,500 including 1,800 billed through/and direct compared with actual marketings of 16,313 last Friday and 7,078 a year ago.

Bulk of sales to all interests ranged from $10.80 to $10.90, this spread taking most 160-240# weights. Top price was $11.00 for a limited number of choice light hogs on early rounds, with an occasional sale reported at $10.95. Weightier hogs were scarce, a few odd sales of 250-280# kinds being recorded at $10.70 and $10.75. Majority of 130-150# light lights realized $10.25 to $10.75, with pigs scaling 90-130# at $9.50 to $10.25, a few strong one thirties making $10.50. Most packing sows centered at $9.40 with a moderate number of light smooth kinds at $9.50 and rougher kinds at $9.35 and downward.

SHEEP: Sheep and lamb offerings met a limited demand today at a further sharp downturn and prices sank to a new low level for the season. Discounts figured around 50¢ on all grades of sheep and lambs with some sales even reflecting greater loss compared with the highest prices paid yesterday. Receipts were estimated at 1,500 head including a liberal proportion billed through and direct. Practically no load lots were offered, salable supplies mostly comprising part loads and small lots. Packers paid $15.50 to $16.00 for bulk of spring lambs, a few small lots selling to city butchers at the opening up to as high as $16.75. Most of the shorn lambs realized $12.50 to $13.00, latter price taking good grades, with a short deck of medium grade material at $12.00. Culls are salable around $9.00 to $10.00. Most shorn ewes on packer account moved at $5.00 to $6.00 as compared with $5.50 to $6.50 for comparable grades earlier in the week.

Omaha Market - 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: All classes slow, about steady; most fed steers and yearlings $12.25-13.25; few lots yearlings up to $14.00; few plain quality short fed light offerings $11.25-12.00; few heifers $11.50-13.00; bulk beef cows $9.00-10.50; bulk all cutters $6.75-8.00; few medium bulls $9.00; practical top veals $13.50; few to independents $14.00; heavy calves up to $13.50.

HOGS: Active, 10-15¢ higher; spots up more on weighty butchers; top $10.65 on choice 210# butchers; bulk 190-250# weights $10.35-10.60; bulk 250-320# butchers $10.00-10.40; matured 407# barrows at $9.80; odd lots 140-180# selections $9.50-10.50; packing sows and stags $9.00-9.50.

SHEEP: Spring lambs 25-75¢ lower; fed clipped lambs 25¢ lower; sheep dull, weak to 25¢ lower; feeders 50¢ lower; choice California spring lambs $15.50-15.75; best fed wooled lambs $14.25; fed clipped lambs $12.25-13.00; latter price for 82-86# weights; shorn ewes $6.25 down; California feeding lambs $13.50.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, FRIDAY, MAY 17, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- GENERALLY STEADY TRADE ON ALL KILLING CLASSES, SLOW, DEMAND NARROW; ASIDE FIVE LOAD STRING NEBRASKA FED STEERS HARDLY ENOUGH STEERS AND YEARLINGS HERE TO TEST THE MARKET; ONE LOAD OF THIS FIVE LOAD CONSIGNMENT NEBRASKAS $14.60; FEW OTHER SALES $13.00 TO $13.50, WITH PLAINER KINDS TO KILLERS DOWN TO $12.50; LIGHT LOW CUTTERS OF SOUTHWESTERN ORIGIN DOWN TO $6.00, STRONG WEIGHTS UP TO $7.50; PRACTICAL TOP HEAVY SAUSAGE BULLS $10.00; MOST STALE OFFERINGS $9.00 TO $9.75 ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND CONDITION; VEALERS STEADY TO STRONG, WITH LIGHT KINDS $10.50 TO $11.50 AND SMALL KILLER AND SHIPPER KINDS $13.50 TO $14.00.

HOGS:- FAIRLY ACTIVE TO ALL INTERESTS, MOSTLY STEADY ON WEIGHT AVERAGES UNDER 230-LBS HEAVIER WEIGHTS STRONG TO 10¢ HIGHER; TOP $11.00 PAID FREELY FOR 160 TO 220-LB. AVERAGES; BULK OF BETTER GRADE 160 TO 230-LB. WEIGHTS $10.75 TO $11.00; 240 TO 290-LB. AVERAGES $10.50 TO $10.80; CHOICE AROUND 340-LB. WEIGHTS AT $10.50; BULK OF DESIRABLE 130 TO 150-LB. WEIGHTS $10.35 TO $10.85; PIGS MOSTLY $9.50 TO $10.50; BULK PACKING SOWS $9.60 TO $9.75, SMOOTH LIGHT WEIGHTS UP TO $9.85 AND $9.90.

SHEEP:- RUN NOW INCLUDES TWO LOADS MEDIUM TO GOOD CALIFORNIA SPRINGERS; MARKET VERY SLOW, FEW EARLY SALES AROUND 25¢ OFF; TALKING LOWER ON PLAINER GRADES; FEW GOOD TO CHOICE 83 TO 85-LB. SHORN LAMBS $13.25, SHORT LOAD TO CITY BUTCHER $13.50; CHOICE WOOLSKINS SO ROE; FEW NATIVE SPRINGERS $15.00 TO $16.00; SHEEP STEADY; FEW WEIGHTY EWES $6.50; FEEDING AND SHEARING LAMBS NOMINAL.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- LARGELY A CLEAN-UP TRADE ON KILLING CLASSES AT STEADY PRICES; QUALITY PLAIN; STOCKERS SLOW AT THE WEEK'S UNEVEN DECLINE; FAIRLY LIBERAL SUPPLY STOCKERS HELD BY DEALERS; SHORT LOAD YEARLING STEERS $14.00; ODD LOTS BUTCHER COWS $8.75 TO $10.00; GOOD TO CHOICE VEALERS $10.50 TO $12.50, FEW $13.00; ONE LOAD MEDIUM WEIGHT TEXAS CALVES $12.50.

HOGS:- FAIRLY ACTIVE, STEADY TO 10¢ HIGHER THAN THURSDAY'S AVERAGE; TOP $10.65 ON 180 TO 220-LBS.; BULK DESIRABLE 150 TO 280-LBS. $10.45 TO $10.60; 280 TO 350-LB. BUTCHERS $10.10 TO $10.45; PACKING SOWS $8.75 TO $9.50; STOCK PIGS $9.50 TO $10.60.

SHEEP:- TRADE CONFINED TO ODD LOTS NATIVE SPRING LAMBS AT FULLY 25¢ LOWER PRICES; BEST OFFERS $14.75; BETTER GRADES MOSTLY $14.00 TO $14.75; CULLS $11.00 TO $12.00; OTHER CLASSES NOMINALLY STEADY.

HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$10.55-10.80	$10.25-10.80	$10.00-10.55	$ 9.70-10.50
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	10.70-10.90	10.40-11.00	10.40-10.65	10.00-10.65
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	10.50-11.00	10.10-11.00	10.35-10.65	9.50-10.65
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.25-10.90	9.75-11.00	10.15-10.60	9.35-10.40
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.10- 9.50	9.35- 9.90	8.50- 9.50	8.75- 9.60
SLAUGHTER PIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	9.00-10.50	9.25-10.65	9.25-10.65	-----------
FDR & STKR. PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	8.75-10.50	-----------	9.25-10.55	8.50- 9.75
AV. COST & WT. THURS. (PIGS EXC)			10.77-198#	10.61-237#	10.34-229#	10.07-258#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	-----------	13.25-14.65	-----------	-----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.50-14.25	14.00-14.90	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.25
		GOOD	12.75-13.50	13.35-14.25	12.50-13.25	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.30-14.50	14.25-15.00	13.25-14.35	13.50-14.50
		GOOD	12.85-13.75	13.25-14.25	12.75-13.65	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.50-15.15	13.65-14.75	13.75-14.60
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.35-14.50	13.00-13.75	12.75-13.75
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	12.00-13.25	12.50-13.35	11.75-13.00	11.75-12.75
		COMMON	9.75-12.25	10.75-12.50	9.50-11.75	9.50-11.75
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.25-15.25	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.25-14.25	13.50-14.50	13.00-13.75	12.75-13.75
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	14.00-15.00	14.00-14.75	13.25-14.50	13.00-14.00
		GOOD	12.75-14.00	13.00-14.00	12.00-13.50	11.75-13.00
		COM-MED	8.75-12.75	9.25-13.00	8.75-12.25	8.75-11.75
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	12.00-14.00	12.50-14.50	11.75-13.75	11.50-13.50
		GOOD	11.00-13.25	11.50-14.00	10.75-13.25	10.75-12.75
		MEDIUM	9.50-12.25	10.00-13.00	9.25-12.00	9.00-12.00
COWS:		CHOICE	11.25-12.25	11.50-12.25	10.75-12.00	10.75-12.00
		GOOD	10.00-11.25	9.75-11.50	9.50-10.75	9.50-10.75
		COM-MED	8.50-10.00	7.75- 9.75	8.00- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
		LOW CUT-CUT	5.00- 8.50	6.00- 7.75	6.00- 8.00	6.25- 8.25
BULLS: (YLG.EXC.BEEF.)		GD-CH	9.75-11.00	10.00-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		CUT-MED	7.50- 9.75	8.00-10.25	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	9.50-13.00	9.00-11.00	9.00-13.00	10.00-13.50
		CULL-COM	6.50- 9.50	7.00- 9.00	6.00- 9.00	6.50-10.00
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	12.00-13.50	10.00-14.50	10.00-13.00	10.50-14.00
		MEDIUM	9.50-12.00	9.00-10.00	9.50-10.00	9.50-10.50
		CULL-COM	6.00- 9.50	7.00- 9.00	6.00- 8.50	6.00- 9.50
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.50
		COM-MED	9.00-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.00
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	11.75-14.25	12.25-14.25
		COM-MED	8.50-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.25
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	11.00-12.00	10.50-12.00	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		COM-MED	8.50-11.00	9.00-10.50	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
COWS:		GD-CH	8.50- 9.25	9.00- 9.50	8.00- 9.00	8.00- 9.00
		COM-MED	7.50- 8.50	8.25- 9.00	7.00- 8.00	6.75- 8.00
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	-----------	-----------	12.25-15.00	11.75-14.25
		MEDIUM	-----------	-----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	-----------	15.75-16.75	14.75-16.00	15.00-15.75
		MEDIUM	-----------	14.75-15.75	13.50-14.75	14.25-15.00
		CULL-COM	-----------	12.50-14.75	11.00-13.50	12.50-14.25
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	12.75-13.25	12.75-13.60	12.00-13.15	12.50-13.00
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	12.50-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.25-13.00
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	11.25-12.75	11.50-12.75	11.00-12.00	11.75-12.50
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	11.25-13.00	11.25-13.35	11.25-12.75	11.75-12.60
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	8.50-11.25	8.75-11.50	8.50-11.00	9.25-11.75
YEARLING WETHERS	(110# DN)	MED-CH	8.50-11.75	8.75-12.25	8.50-11.25	8.50-11.75
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	4.75- 6.00	5.75- 7.25	4.75- 6.25	5.50- 6.50
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	4.75- 6.00	5.75- 7.00	4.50- 6.00	5.50- 6.25
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	1.75- 4.75	2.50- 5.75	1.50- 4.75	1.50- 5.50

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SUMMARY OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-SATURDAY-MAY 18, 1929.

RECEIPTS

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NAT'L.STOCK YARDS (ESTIMATE)	**200	**50	4,500	700
NAT'L.STOCK YARDS TOTAL THIS WK.(APPRO.)	11,100	8,250	74,000	10,650
NAT'L.STOCK YARDS TOTAL LAST WEEK	10,726	9,929	79,780	6,756
NAT'L.STOCK YARDS TOTAL SAME WK.LAST YR.	11,395	9,177	72,939	7,468
11 MARKET TOTAL THIS WEEK	141,525	56,575	467,820	269,375
11 MARKET TOTAL LAST WEEK	148,175	62 725	437,575	243,725
11 MARKET TOTAL SAME WEEK LAST YEAR	151,035	54,495	489,690	214,125

**RUN INCLUDES 125 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 2,000 THROUGH AND 500 DIRECT; CHICAGO 5,000; KANSAS CITY 700; OMAHA 1,300; ST. JOSEPH NONE; SIOUX CITY 450; ST. PAUL NONE.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-FRIDAY-MAY 17, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	1,001	950	14,130	1,941
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	447	620	10,393	938
PACKER PURCHASES	519	563	3,298	1,353

LIVESTOCK MARKET QUOTATIONS AND CONDITIONS-SATURDAY-MAY 18, 1929.

HOGS: (SOFT OR OILY HOGS & ROASTING PIGS EXC)	NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A.M.	OMAHA 11:00 A.M.
HVY.WT.250-350#)MED-CH	$10.60-10.85	$10.25-10.80	$10.00-10.55	$ 9.75-10.50
MED.WT.(200-250#)MED-CH	10.70-11.00	10.40-11.10	10.40-10.65	10.10-10.65
LT. WT.(160-200#)MED-CH	10.50-11.00	10.10-11.10	10.35-10.65	9.60-10.65
LT.LTS.(130-160#)MED-CH	10.25-10.95	9.75-11.00	10.15-10.60	9.35-10.40
PACKING SOWS ROUGH&SMOOTH	9.15- 9.60	9.65- 9.90	8.50- 9.50	8.75- 9.60
SLTR.PIGS 90-130#)MED-CH	9.00-10.50	9.25-10.63	9.25-10.65	----------
FD&STK PIGS 70-130)MED-CH	8.75-10.50	-----------	9.25-10.65	9.50- 9.75
AV.COST&WT.FRI.(PIGS EX)	10.71-204#	10.67-233#	10.37-229#	10.21-255#

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-SATURDAY-MAY 18, 1929.

(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 10:30 A.M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE FOR THE PAST WEEK APPROXIMATED 11,100 HEAD, AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 10,726 FOR THE PREVIOUS WEEK, AND A TOTAL OF 11,395 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

UNUSUALLY HEAVY COUNTRY LOADINGS OF MEDIUM AND HEAVYWEIGHT STEERS FOR THE TUESDAY MARKET AFFORDED BUYERS WITH AN OPPORTUNITY TO BEAR DOWN ON VALUES ON THAT DAY, BESIDES FURNISHING SUFFICIENT MATERIAL TO TAKE CARE OF PRESENT NEEDS SO THAT THERE WAS VERY LITTLE CHANCE ON LATER DAYS FOR ANY MATERIAL RECUPERATION. RISING TEMPERATURES, RESULTING IN RATHER LIBERAL WATER-FILLS, HOWEVER, REDUCED A PART OF THE PAPER DECLINES. LIGHTWEIGHT AND YEARLING STEERS ESCAPED WITH VERY LITTLE IN THE WAY OF ANY CHANGED MARKET VALUES, ONE REASON FOR THIS BEING THAT, RELATIVELY, THEY WERE NOT AS ABUNDANT AND CONSEQUENTLY MET WITH A BETTER DEMAND. SETTING AN ARBITRARY FIGURE AT 1100# AS A STARTING POINT THE HEAVIER THE BULLOCKS WERE THE HARDER PRICES WERE POUNDED AND SEVERAL LOADS OF WEIGHTY STEERS CAME IN FOR A RATHER SEVERE SLASHING. QUALITY AND CONDITION GRADUATED FROM VERY COMMON KINDS TO A FEW LOADS SUFFICIENTLY WELL FINISHED TO GRADE CHOICE. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS ALSO CAME UNDER THE HAMMER AT MID-WEEK AND ALL BUT STRICTLY CHOICE LIGHT KINDS ARE SHOWING RATHER SHARP DOWNTURNS AT THE CLOSE. HERE AS WELL THE SUPPLY WAS LIBERAL AND NUMEROUS LOADS OF GOOD AND CHOICE MATERIAL MADE THEIR APPEARANCE. THE BUTCHER COW TRADE AND ALL CUTTERS HELD THEIR OWN UNDER A FAIRLY GOOD DEMAND, AN EXCEPTION BEING EMACIATED LOW CUTTERS WHICH WERE ON A CATCHY BASIS. MEDIUM BULLS LOST CONSIDERABLE GROUND, ALTHOUGH BUTCHER KINDS HELD UP EXCEEDINGLY WELL. VEALER PRICES TUMBLED TO THE LOWEST POINT SINCE JULY 23, 1928.

COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO, LIGHWEIGHT AND YEARLING STEERS ARE SELLING ABOUT STEADY, KINDS AVERAGING 1100# AND UP WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER, WITH SPOTS OFF MORE ON WEIGHTY STEERS; STRICTLY CHOICE LIGHT YEARLINGS STEADY, OTHERS AND MEDIUM BULLS 25-50¢ LOWER; COWS, CUTTERS AND DESIRABLE LOW CUTTERS ABOUT STEADY; VEALERS 50-75¢ LOWER; ALL CLASSES STOCKERS AND FEEDERS STEADY, EXCEPT LOWER GRADE STEERS, THESE 25-35¢ OR MORE LOWER. TOPS FOR WEEK: 598 AND 632# HEIFERS $15.00; 805# YEARLING STEERS $14.60; 715# MIXED YEARLINGS $14.25; 1271# MATURED STEERS $14.15. BULKS FOR WEEK: STEERS $12.00 TO $14.00; FAT MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS $13.75 TO $14.75; MEDIUM KINDS $12.25 TO $13.25; COWS $9.75 TO $10.75; LOW CUTTERS $5.75 TO $7.00; TOP VEALERS AT CLOSE $13.50.

HOGS: RECEIPTS OF HOGS TODAY WERE ESTIMATED AT 4,500 HEAD INCLUDING 2,500 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT COMPARED WITH ACTUAL MARKETINGS OF 4,605 LAST SATURDAY AND 3,824 A YEAR AGO. SALABLE SUPPLIES WERE HARDLY SUFFICIENT TO TEST CONDITIONS AND, THOUGH DEMAND FROM ALL INTERESTS WAS BROAD ENOUGH TO ABSORB ALL THE SUPPLIES, TRADE WAS SLOW THROUGHOUT. MOST OF THE HOGS COMPRISED LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHTS AND THE TREND WAS QUOTED STEADY TO STRONG WITH AN OCCASIONAL LOAD REFLECTING AN ADVANCE OF 5-10¢ OVER YESTERDAY'S AVERAGE. PIGS WERE QUOTED STEADY. THE WEEK'S PRICES HAVE BEEN THE LOWEST SINCE FEBRUARY, TODAY'S QUOTATIONS BEING MOSTLY 25¢ UNDER THOSE OF LAST SATURDAY.

IT WAS PRACTICALLY A $10.90 MARKET, BULK OF ALL 160-240# WEIGHTS BRINGING THIS FIGURE. A VERY LIMITED NUMBER OF LOADS OF CHOICE HOGS WERE REPORTED AT $10.95 AND $11.00, LATTER PRICE BEING THE EXTREME TOP FOR THE DAY. A FEW PART LOADS WITHIN THE ABOVE MENTIONED WEIGHT SPREAD CASHED AT $10.85 AND A FEW LOTS OF 260# KINDS MADE $10.75. MAJORITY OF 130-150# LIGHT LIGHTS WERE QUOTED AT $10.25 TO $10.75 WITH 90-130# PIGS AT $9.50 TO $10.50. BULK OF PACKING SOWS SCORED $9.40 TO $9.50.

SHEEP: RECEIPTS OF SHEEP THIS WEEK TOTALED APPROXIMATELY 10,700 HEAD COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 6,756 LAST WEEK AND 7,468 SAME WEEK A YEAR AGO.

THE MARKET HELD PRACTICALLY STEADY ON ALL CLASSES DURING THE FIRST HALF OF THE WEEK, AFTER WHICH A SERIES OF SHARP DOWNTURNS FORCED VALUES TO NEW LOW LEVELS FOR THE SEASON. CLIPPED LAMBS AND SPRING LAMBS SUFFERED THE BIG END OF THE LOSS, THESE DECLINING FULLY $1.00 TO $1.25, WHILE SHEEP PRICES WERE REDUCED 50¢ ON FRIDAY.

THE WEEK'S TOP ON SHORN LAMBS RESTED AT $14.50, THIS PRICE PAID ON MONDAY FOR A DECK OF 73# AVERAGES. BEST SPRING LAMBS SOLD TUESDAY, THE PRACTICAL TOP BEING $17.50 PAID BY A CITY BUTCHER FOR 25 HEAD, A SMALLER LOT EARNING $18.00. TOP ON SHORN EWES WAS $6.50. PRACTICALLY NO YEARLINGS OR AGED WETHERS WERE OFFERED. BULK OF SPRING LAMBS SOLD AT THE CLOSE AT $15.50 TO $16.00 TO PACKERS, CITY BUTCHERS TAKING SMALL LOTS AS HIGH AS $16.75 ON EARLY ROUNDS FRIDAY. MOST SHORN LAMBS FINISHED AT $12.50 TO $13.00, LATTER PRICE TAKING GOOD GRADES, AND BEING THE HIGHEST PRICE PAID AT THE CLOSE. CULL SHORN LAMBS ARE SALABLE AROUND $9.00 TO $10.50. CLIPPED EWES SOLD AT THE CLOSE AT $5.00 TO $6.00 ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY AS COMPARED WITH $5.50 TO $6.50 FOR SIMILAR KINDS A WEEK AGO.

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Telegraphic Reports from Other Markets

Saturday, May 18, 1929.

Chicago Market 10:30 A. M.

Cattle:- Compared week ago: strictly choice or specialty steers, all representative weights, strong to shade higher; practically all others 15 to 25¢ higher, spots off more on rough heavies and inbetween grade light yearlings; better grade beef cows about steady, but lower grades 15 to 25¢ off and cutters weak; bulls 25¢ or more higher; vealers $1.00 to $1.50 lower; stockers and feeders despite scarcity, weak; undertone 25¢ or more off; extreme top Nebraska fed yearlings scaling 1023-lb. $15.15; several loads light steers and yearlings $15.00; near-choice heavies $14.65; rough big weight steers largely $13.50 to $14.00; bulk steer crop $13.00 to $14.40; light heifers up to $14.[illegible]; mixed offerings $14.75; most beef cows $9.50 to $11.25; cutters $6.25 to $7.50.

Hogs:- Only a few loads on sale; limited trading mostly steady to 10¢ higher; top $11.10 paid for a load of around 200-lb. weights; few loads of good to choice 180 to 220-lb. weights at $11.00; odd lots and a few loads of medium quality down to $10.50; a few loads of choice 260 to 300-lb. weights at $10.65 to $10.75; practically no light lights on sale. Odd lots of good choice pigs at $10.25 to $10.60; shippers took 500; estimated holdover 1,000.

Sheep:- 4900 directs; for week: 101 doubles from feeding stations; 50,500 directs; large supplies late prompted drastic price reductions; shipping demands narrow; compared with close of last week: fed lambs $1.25 to $1.50 lower; springers 50 to 75¢ off; aged sheep steady; tops: shorn lambs early $15.00, late $13.50; woolskins early $16.25, late $15.35; California springers early $17.75, late $16.65; fat ewes $7.50; late bulks: shorn lambs $13.00 to $13.25; woolskins $15.00 to $15.25; springers $16.00 to $16.75; fat ewes $6.00 to $7.00.

Kansas City Market 11:00 A. M.

Cattle:- For week: fed steers and yearlings mostly steady; some strength on choice light weight steers and yearlings; matured steers in limited supply, but demand narrow; better grades cows steady, others weak to 25¢ lower; bulls steady to 25¢ lower; vealers fully 50¢ lower; medium weight and heavy calves steady to weak; stockers generally 25 to 50¢ lower, spots off more on the inbetween grades; feeders scarce weak to 25¢ lower; week's tops: mixed yearlings and yearling steers $14.75; yearling heifers $14.50; light and medium weight Colorado steers $14.30; best heavy beeves $13.75; vealers $13.00; bulk fed steers and yearlings $12.50 to $14.00.

Hogs:- Fairly active, strong with Friday's best prices; packer and shipper top $10.65 on choice 190 to 230-lbs.; bulk desirable 170 to 270-lbs. $10.50 to $10.65; few 300 to 375-lb. butchers $10.10 to $10.40; odd packing sows $9.50 down.

Sheep:- For week: killing classes generally 75¢ to $1.00 lower; some spring lambs off more; week's top spring lambs $17.00; woolskins $14.85; shorn lambs $13.90; ewes $6.75; late bulks follow: spring lambs $15.75 to $16.35; woolskins $13.75 to $14.10; shorn lambs $12.50 to $13.15; ewes $5.75 to $6.15.

Omaha Market 11:00 A. M.

Cattle:- Compared with week ago: fed steers and yearlings uneven, mostly 25 to 40¢ lower; weighty steers steady; heifers 25 to 40¢ lower; cows about steady; bulls and veals steady; stockers and feeders steady to weak; bulks for week: fed steers and yearlings $12.50 to $14.00; weighty steers $14.00, medium weights $14.50; light steers $14.60; heifers $11.50 to $13.85; beef cows $9.00 to $10.75; all cutters $6.75 to $8.00; medium bulls $9.00 to $9.75; practical top veals $13.50, few to independents $14.00 to $14.50; heavy calves up to $13.50; stockers and feeders $11.50 to $13.00; light yearlings $13.75.

Hogs:- Slow; steady; spots 5 to 10¢ higher on strong weight butchers; top $10.65 on sorted 200 to 210-lb. butchers; bulk 190 to 240-lb. weights $10.35 to $10.60; bulk 240 to 280-lb. at $10.25 to $10.40; 280 to 320-lb. averages $10.10 to $10.25; 140 to 190-lb. selections $9.50 to $10.50; packing sows $9.00 to $9.50.

Sheep:- Compared with week ago: Slaughter lambs 75¢ to $1.25 lower; sheep 25 to 50¢ lower; feeders 50¢ lower; closing bulks follow: California spring lambs $15.25 to $15.50, top $15.75; fed wool lambs $14.00 to $14.25; fed clipped lambs $12.60 to $13.00; shorn ewes $5.50 to $6.00, top $6.25; California feeding lambs $13.50.

St. Paul Market 11:00 A. M.

Cattle:- Compared with week ago: Steers and yearlings unevenly weak to 25 to 50¢ lower; stockers and feeders sharing maximum downturn; other killing classes steady to 25¢ lower; vealers $1.00 to $1.50 lower; week's prices: top yearlings $14.25; heavy steers $14.00, bulk all weights $12.50 to $13.50; fat cows $8.75 to $10.25; heifers $10.25 to $11.75; specialties up to $11.50 on cows and to $13.50 to $14.00 for yearling heifers; cutters $6.50 to $7.50; bulls $9.00 to $9.50; top feeders $13.00; bulk stockers $10.75 to $11.50, common kinds to $10.00; vealers at close largely $11.50.

Hogs:- Fully steady with Friday's general trade; bulk light and medium weight butchers $10.50; few sorted hogs 200-lb. down at $10.60; top $10.60; most heavy butchers 250-lb. to 320-lb. $10.00 to $10.25; sows largely $9.00 to $9.25; pigs 120-lbs. down $11.00; few light lights $10.60.

Sheep:- Compared week ago: clipped lambs $1.00 to $1.50 lower; ewes mostly steady; tops for week: clipped lambs $13.75, such kinds salable around $13.00 at close; best shorn ewes $6.50, bulk $5.50 to $6.50; spring lambs absent.

Ft. Worth Market 11:00 A. M.

Cattle:- For week: slaughter steers steady to 25¢ lower; slaughter yearlings fully steady; she stock and cutters steady to around 25¢ lower; butcher cows and low cutters mostly 15 to 25¢ lower; common light weight sausage bulls 25¢ or more lower; strong weights and heavies about steady; slaughter calves around half dollar lower; desirable stock cattle and calves mostly steady; week's tops: fed steers $14.25; fed yearlings $14.50; carlot top fat cows $10.00; practical top heavy slaughter calves $11.25; good stock yearlings $13.00; choice heavy stock steer calves $13.25; bulk prices: grass slaughter steers $9.75 to $10.85; slaughter yearlings $12.50 to $14.25; fat cows $8.25 to $9.00; butcher grades $7.00 to $7.50; cutters and low cutters $5.00 to $6.00; sausage bulls $8.25 to $8.60; heavy slaughter calves $10.00 to $10.85; stock steers and yearlings $10.00 to $13.00.

Hogs:- Steady; rail top $10.75; truck top $10.35; medium to choice 175 to 190-lb. rail hogs $10.60 to $10.75; bulk better grades 180 to 220-lb. truck hogs $10.10 to $10.35; packing sows and pigs steady; packing sows mostly $8.75 and $9.00; few good feeder pigs $8.50.

Sheep:- For week: fat yearlings and two year old fat wethers 15 to 25¢ lower aged fat wethers 50 to 75¢ lower; feeder grades 25 to 50¢ lower; fat lambs scarce; bulk medium to choice fat yearlings $10.00 to $11.50; week's top fat yearlings $11.75; two year old fat wethers mostly $8.25 and $8.50; closing bulk aged fat wethers $7.25; early in week aged fat wethers sold up to $7.75; bulk feeder yearlings $8.00 to $8.75; few feeder wethers $5.00 to $5.50.

"Hogs slaughtered under federal meat inspection"

Weeks ending Friday, May 17, 1929 and May 18, 1928.

	1929	1928
Chicago, Ill.	107,127	110,909
Indianapolis, Ind.	21,023	16,108
Kansas City, Kan.	59,091	79,507
National Stock Yards, Ill.	58,534	58,955
New York, N. Y. and Jersey City, N. J.	30,294	32,834
Omaha, Nebr.	42,812	40,884
Sioux City, Iowa.*	22,033	26,294
South St. Joseph, Mo.	19,091	26,560
South St. Paul, Minn.	33,528	35,545

*1928 figures at Sioux City for calendar week.

Indianapolis figures for May 11, 1928, 21,318.

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DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-MONDAY-MAY 20, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**3,000	**2,200	12,500	2,500
CHICAGO	18,000	5,000	37,000	16,000
KANSAS CITY	10,000	1,600	14,000	9,000
OMAHA	6,000	500	10,500	16,000
ST. JOSEPH	3,000	400	5,000	6,500
ST. PAUL	4,900	2,400	11,000	1,900
SIOUX CITY	3,500	200	9,500	4,000
CINCINNATI	800	525	4,100	175
INDIANAPOLIS	700	600	7,000	100
PITTSBURGH	650	1,500	5,500	2,100
BUFFALO	1,525	1,500	6,380	4,600
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	52,075	16,425	122,980	62,875
ONE WEEK AGO	48,075	17,300	103,580	68,825
ONE YEAR AGO	54,050	15,200	140,140	40,850

**RUN INCLUDES 200 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 400 THROUGH AND 600 DIRECT; CHICAGO 14,000; KANSAS CITY 2,500; OMAHA 1,100; ST. JOSEPH 900; SIOUX CITY 800; ST. PAUL 800.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-SATURDAY-MAY 18, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	212	51	4,738	401
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	243	51	4,363	- -
PACKER PURCHASES	- -	- -	2,010	389

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-MONDAY-MAY 20, 1929.
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 PM)

CATTLE: ESTIMATED RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE PLACED AT 3000 TODAY, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 2123 LAST MONDAY, AND TOTAL UNLOADINGS OF 2782 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

THERE WAS A LIBERAL SUPPLY OF STEERS WHICH ARRIVED AT THE MARKET TODAY AND INCLUDED IN THE RUN WERE NUMEROUS LOADS OF NEBRASKA FED BULLOCKS MANY OF WHICH WERE IN A HIGHLY FINISHED CONDITION AND OF VERY DESIRABLE QUALITY. ALL WEIGHTS WERE REPRESENTED FROM YEARLING TO HEAVYWEIGHT MATERIAL. IT WAS APPARENT FROM THE START THAT THE MARKET WOULD NOT HOLD UP TO A STEADY LEVEL WITH THE INCREASED SUPPLY LOCALLY AND OTHER MARKETS IN THE AGGREGATE ALSO SHOWING SOME INCREASES. A LONG BARGAINING SESSION WAS IN PROGRESS AND WAS WELL ALONG IN THE FORENOON BEFORE ANY SCALEWARD MOVEMENT WAS STARTED AT GENERALLY 15 TO MOSTLY 25¢ LOWER PRICES, AND IN SPOTS VALUES APPEARED EVEN LOWER. AT THAT ONLY A PARTIAL CLEARANCE HAD BEEN EFFECTED UP UNTIL THE NOON HOUR. STEER PRICES WERE NOT THE ONLY ONES TO COME UNDER THE HAMMER, HOWEVER, MIXED YEARLINGS, HEIFERS AND COWS ALSO SUFFERED LOSSES IN VALUE OF 25¢ OR MORE. THERE WERE SEVERAL LOADS OF MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS ON OFFER, AMONG THEM BEING A FEW LOADS OF LIGHT CHOICE HEIFERS, THESE BEING THE ONLY LOAD LOTS TO SELL AT FAIRLY EARLY HOUR. LIKE THE STEERS THERE WERE MANY OF THESE YOUNGSTERS UNSOLD SHORTLY AFTER NOON. ALTHOUGH THERE WAS A LIGHT OFFERING OF COWS, ALL INTERESTS WERE IN FOR CHEAPENING COSTS, BUT LOW CUTTERS MANAGED TO GET AWAY ABOUT STEADY. PRICES ON BEST WEIGHTY MEDIUM BULLS ADVANCED 25¢, WHILE ALL OTHERS RULED SLOW AND WEAK THROUGHOUT. VEALERS WERE BOOSTED 50¢ THE BULK OF THE CROP BEING TAKEN BY SHIPPERS.

A LOAD OF NEBRASKA YEARLINGS AVERAGING 943-LBS. PLACED THE TOP AT $14.35; WHILE TWO LOADS OF 1222 AND 1231-LB. WEIGHTS WENT AT $14.15 AND TWO CARS SCALING 1240-LBS. STOPPED AT $14.00. FOR THE BULK THE $12.25 TO $14.00 SPREAD WAS IN EFFECT, WITH LOWER PRICED MATERIAL DOWNWARD TO $11.35 AND BELOW. TWO CARS OF CHOICE LIGHT HEIFERS CASHED AT $14.50 AND $14.75, WITH OTHER LOADS AND LOTS INCLUDING MIXED MATERIAL DOWNWARD TO $12.00 OR BELOW. MOST OF THE COWS CLEARED AT $8.75 TO $10.50, A FEW LOW CUTTERS $5.75 TO $7.00, SOME SHELLY KINDS DOWNWARD TO $5.00. BEST WEIGHTY MEDIUM BULLS REACHED $10.00, OTHERS DOWNWARD, WHILE GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS TURNED AT $14.00.

HOGS: DEMAND WAS FAIRLY BROAD TODAY AND THE HOG MARKET OPENED ACTIVELY ON A STEADY TO 10¢ HIGHER BASIS COMPARED WITH THE AVERAGE OF SATURDAY. SHIPPERS AND BUTCHERS OPENED TRADE BUT ALL INTERESTS WERE OPERATING BEFORE MIDSESSION. DRESSED PORK IN EASTERN CENTERS OPENED THE WEEK ON A SLIGHTLY HIGHER LEVEL WHICH FACTOR STIMULATED SHIPPING DEMAND. WITH ORDERS FILLED AND ESTIMATES OF A LIBERAL RUN FOR TUESDAY, CLOSING TRADE WAS SLOW AND WEAK TO SHADE LOWER THAN EARLY THOUGH THE SLIGHT DECLINES WERE EFFECTIVE MOSTLY ON SMALL LOTS AND TRUCK HOGS. PIGS AND PACKING SOWS SOLD STEADY TO STRONG, A GOOD CLEARANCE BEING EFFECTED. RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 12,500 INCLUDING 1,000 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 10,703 LAST MONDAY AND 16,291 SAME DAY A YEAR AGO. TOTAL AT ELEVEN MARKETS WAS 20 PER CENT MORE THAN THAT OF LAST MONDAY.

HOGS SCALING 160-240-LBS. SOLD AT $10.90 TO $11.00, WITH BULK OF BETTER GRADES AT $10.95 AND $11.00. LATTER PRICE WAS PAID FREELY AND WAS PRACTICAL TOP, THOUGH TWO LOADS OF CHOICE AROUND 200-LB. WEIGHTS WERE REPORTED LATE AT $11.05. MOST OF THE EXTREMELY LATE SALES COMPRISED MEDIUM TO GOOD KINDS AROUND $10.85 TO $10.90. A FEW LOADS OF 250-290-LB. BUTCHERS EARNED $10.75 TO $10.85, AND A LOAD AVERAGING AROUND 325-LBS. SCORED $10.65. BULK OF 130-150-LB. LIGHT LIGHTS MOVED AT $10.25 TO $10.75, WITH 90-130-LB. PIGS AT $9.75 TO $10.50 ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY. MAJORITY OF PACKING SOWS CENTERED AT $9.50, THOUGH A FEW SMOOTH KINDS MADE $9.60 AND ROUGH HEAVY DESCRIPTIONS SOLD DOWN TO $9.40.

SHEEP: RECEIPTS OF SHEEP AND LAMBS WERE ESTIMATED AT 2,500 HEAD INCLUDING 1,500 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT. THE RUN LAST MONDAY FIGURED 562 HEAD AND A YEAR AGO 1,260. MOST OF THE DAY'S SALABLE SUPPLIES COMPRISED MEDIUM GRADE CLIPPED LAMBS, MANY OF WHICH HAD NOT SOLD UP TO A LATE HOUR. SEVERAL LOTS OF SPRING LAMBS SOLD AT PRICES THAT APPEARED STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER. MOST SALES OF CLIPPED LAMBS WERE REPORTED STEADY THOUGH A FEW LOWER GRADE DESCRIPTIONS REFLECTED A DISCOUNT OF AS MUCH AS 25¢. SHEEP WERE FULLY STEADY. ALL INTERESTS PAID $15.50 TO $16.00 FOR DESIRABLE SPRING LAMBS THOUGH MOST PACKER SALES RANGED FROM $15.75 DOWNWARD. A DECK OF NEAR CHOICE 66-LB. CLIPPED LAMBS SOLD TO A PACKER AT $13.25, THE DAY'S TOP, A PART DECK OF MEDIUM TO GOOD KINDS EARNING $12.75 AND SOME MEDIUM GRADES GOING AT $12.00. SHORN EWES WENT ON PACKING ACCOUNT AT $5.00 TO $6.00, THE PRICE VARYING ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY. A DOUBLE DECK OF TEXAS YEARLING WETHERS CONTAINING AN END OF CLIPPED LAMBS SOLD STRAIGHT AT $11.75.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: FED STEERS & YLGS. SLOW, STEADY TO WEAK; SHE STOCK & BULLS STEADY; VEALS WEAK TO 50¢ LOWER; STOCKERS&FEEDERS STEADY; FED STEERS & YLGS. $12.50-13.75; WEIGHTY STEERS $13.75; YEARLINGS $14.25; HEIFERS MOSTLY $11.75-13.35; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00-11.00; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.75-8.00; MEDIUM BULLS $9.00-9.75; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $13.00; FEW TO INDEPENDENTS $13.50-14.00; HEAVY CALVES MOSTLY $12.00-13.00; STOCKERS&FEEDERS $11.50-$13.50.

HOGS: SLOW, STEADY TO 10¢ LOWER; SHIPPING DEMAND NARROW; TOP $10.60 ON 225# BUTCHERS; BULK 190-240-LB. $10.35-10.50; BULK 240-300-LB. $10.15-10.40; FEW HEAVIER WEIGHTS DOWNWARD TO $10.00; 140-190-LB. SELECTIONS $9.50-10.50; PACKING SOWS AND STAGS $9.00-9.60.

SHEEP: KILLING CLASSES MOSTLY 25¢ LOWER; FEEDERS 25-50¢ LOWER; CALIFORNIA SPRING LAMBS $14.75-15.00; NO STRICTLY CHOICE SPRING LAMBS INCLUDED; FED WOOLED LAMBS $13.50-14.00; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $12.50-12.75; SHORN EWES $6.25 DOWN; CALIFORNIA FEEDING LAMBS $13.00; THREE CARS CALIFORNIA FEEDING YEARLINGS AT $9.75.

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[illegible] DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, MONDAY, MAY 20, 1929.
CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- LARGE STEERS, [illegible] WEIGHT [illegible] TRADE VERY SLOW; FEW CHOICE LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT [illegible] ABOUT STEADY ON SHIPPER ACCOUNT, OTHERS WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; YEARLINGS IN LIBERAL SUPPLY, MOST EARLY SALES $13.50 TO $14.25; STRICTLY CHOICE 1350-LB. AVERAGE [illegible] $14.90; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS [illegible], SLOW, STEADY TO WEAK; ALTHOUGH SCARCE, FAT COWS AND BUTCHER HEIFERS TENDING LOWER; BULLS STRONG; VEALERS STEADY TO 50¢ LOWER, LIGHT KINDS SHOWING MOST DECLINE; PRACTICAL TOP WEIGHTY SAUSAGE BULLS $10.35, MOST OFFERINGS WITH WEIGHT $9.75 TO $10.25; SELECTED VEALERS TO SMALL KILLERS UP TO $13.50, BIDDING $10.00 TO $12.00 ON 85 TO 135-LB. AVERAGES.

HOGS:- STEADY TO 10¢ HIGHER THAN FRIDAY; MOSTLY STEADY WITH SATURDAY; TOP $11.15 PAID FOR A LOAD OF AROUND 200-LB. WEIGHTS; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 160 TO 230-LB. AVERAGES $10.95 TO $11.00, A FEW LOADS AT $11.05 AND $11.10; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 240 TO 300-LB. AVERAGES $10.60 TO $10.85, STRICTLY CHOICE LOADS AT INSIDE WEIGHT UP TO $10.95; $10.50 BID ON AROUND 350-LB. AVERAGES; LIGHT LIGHTS AND PIGS SCARCE, 10 TO 15¢ LOWER; BULK OF BETTER GRADE 130 TO 150-LB. AVERAGES $10.50 TO $11.00; PIGS MOSTLY $[illegible] TO $10.50, CHOICE SORTS AT $10.75 AND ABOVE; BULK PACKING SOWS $9.50 TO $9.35, FEW LIGHT WEIGHTS UP TO $10.00 TO $10.10.

SHEEP:- MARKET MODERATELY ACTIVE, MOSTLY STEADY; GOOD TO CHOICE 75-LB. CALIFORNIA SPRINGERS $16.25, LIGHTLY SORTED; SOME HELD HIGHER; GOOD TO CHOICE 80 TO 100-LB. WOOLED LAMBS $15.[illegible]; LOAD CHOICE 95-LB. $15.25; GOOD TO CHOICE 85 TO 95-LB. SHORN LAMBS $12.75 TO $13.00, SOME HELD HIGHER; THROWOUTS $8.50 TO $11.50; SHEEP STRONG TO HIGHER; FEW CHOICE FAT EWES $7.50, GOOD WEIGHTY KINDS $6.50 DOWN; FEEDING AND SHEARING LAMBS NOMINAL.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- ~~LIBERAL PROPORTION OF DRY FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS; CHOICE QUALITY STEERS~~ IN LIGHT QUOTE; [illegible] SALES CHOICE LIGHT WEIGHT. STEERS AND YEARLINGS STEADY TO EASIER, INDICATIONS WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER ON LESS DESIRABLE GRADES; SLAUGHTER COWS SLOW, STEADY TO WEAK; BULLS LITTLE CHANGED; VEALERS AND CALVES STEADY TO WEAK; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS SCARCE, STEADY; EARLY TOP LIGHT MIXED YEARLINGS $14.25; TWO LOADS CHOICE NEBRASKA STEERS AVERAGING AROUND 1100-LB. $14.15; BULK FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS ELIGIBLE TO SELL AROUND $12.50 TO $14.00; BULK BUTCHER COWS $8.75 TO $10.50; ALL CUTTERS $6.00 TO $7.50; MEDIUM BULLS $8.75 TO $9.25; CHOICE VEALERS UPWARD TO $13.00; FEW LOADS STOCKERS AND FEEDERS $11.75 TO $13.35.

HOGS:- SLOW AND UNEVEN; OPENED STRONG WITH SATURDAY'S BEST PRICES; LATER TRADE STEADY TO 10¢ LOWER THAN SATURDAY'S AVERAGE; STOCK PIGS 10 TO 15¢ LOWER; EARLY TOP $10.70 ON CHOICE 190 TO 220-LBS.; BULK DESIRABLE 130 TO 250-LBS. $10.50 TO $10.65; 260 TO 325-LBS. $10.00 TO $10.50; PACKING SOWS $8.75 TO $9.50; STOCK PIGS $9.50 TO $10.50.

SHEEP:- FED LAMBS 15 TO 25¢ LOWER; SHEEP AND SPRING LAMBS ABOUT STEADY; TOP ARIZONA SPRING LAMBS $15.75; BEST WOOLSKINS $13.85; TOP CLIPPERS $13.00, OTHERS DOWNWARD TO $12.00; TWO-YEAR-OLD WETHERS $8.25; AGED WETHERS $7.00 TO $7.25; TOP EWES $6.00.

			NAT'L. STK. YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)						
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$10.35-10.85	$10.35-10.90	$9.90-10.65	$9.75-10.50
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	10.75-11.05	10.50-11.15	10.40-10.70	10.10-10.60
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	10.50-11.05	10.15-11.15	10.35-10.70	9.50-10.60
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.25-10.65	9.85-11.10	10.10-10.60	9.25-10.35
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.15- 9.90	9.40-10.00	9.30- 9.50	8.75- 9.60
SLAUGHTER PIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	9.25-10.50	9.40-10.75	9.25-10.50	----------
FDR & STKR. PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	9.00-10.50	----------	9.25-10.50	8.50- 9.75
AV. COST & WT. SAT. (PIGS EXC)			10.74-214#	10.71-247#	10.45-200#	10.31-249#
AV. COST & WT. WEEK. (PIGS EXC)			10.90-204#	10.78-239#	10.46-227#	10.25-255#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	----------	13.85-14.50	----------	----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.25-14.25	14.00-14.50	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.25
		GOOD	12.75-13.50	13.25-14.25	12.50-13.25	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.50-14.50	14.00-15.00	13.25-14.35	13.50-14.50
		GOOD	12.75-13.50	13.15-14.25	12.75-13.35	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	14.00-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.65-14.75	13.75-14.60
		GOOD	13.00-14.00	13.25-14.25	13.00-13.75	12.75-13.75
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	12.00-13.00	12.50-13.35	11.75-13.00	11.75-12.75
		COMMON	9.50-12.25	10.75-12.50	9.50-11.75	9.50-11.75
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	14.00-14.75	14.25-15.25	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.00-14.25	13.25-14.25	13.00-13.75	12.75-13.75
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75	13.25-14.50	13.00-14.00
		GOOD	12.50-13.75	12.75-13.75	12.00-13.50	11.75-13.00
		COM-MED	8.75-12.50	9.25-13.00	8.75-12.25	8.75-11.75
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	12.00-13.75	12.50-14.50	11.75-13.75	11.50-13.50
		GOOD	11.00-13.25	11.50-14.00	10.75-13.25	10.75-12.75
		MEDIUM	9.50-12.00	10.00-12.75	9.25-12.00	9.00-12.00
COWS:		CHOICE	11.00-12.00	11.25-12.00	10.75-12.00	10.75-12.00
		GOOD	9.75-11.00	9.75-11.25	9.50-10.75	9.50-10.75
		COM-MED	8.25- 9.75	7.75- 9.75	7.75- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
		LOW CUT-CUT	5.00- 8.25	6.00- 7.75	6.00- 7.75	6.25- 8.25
BULLS: (YLG. EXC. BEEF.)		GD-CH	10.00-11.00	10.25-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		CUT-MED	7.50-10.00	8.00-10.35	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	9.50-13.00	9.00-11.00	9.00-13.00	10.00-13.50
		CULL-COM	6.50- 9.50	7.00- 9.00	6.00- 9.00	6.50-10.00
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	12.50-14.00	9.50-14.50	10.00-13.00	10.00-14.00
		MEDIUM	10.00-12.50	9.00- 9.50	8.50-10.00	9.50-10.00
		CULL-COM	6.00-10.00	7.00- 9.00	6.00- 8.50	6.00- 9.50
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.50-13.50	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.50
		COM-MED	9.00-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.00
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.50	11.75-14.25	12.25-14.25
		COM-MED	8.50-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.25
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	11.00-12.00	10.50-12.00	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		COM-MED	8.50-11.00	9.00-10.50	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
COWS:		GD-CH	8.50- 9.25	9.00- 9.50	8.00- 9.00	8.00- 9.00
		COM-MED	7.50- 8.50	8.25- 9.00	7.00- 8.00	6.75- 8.00
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	----------	----------	12.25-14.75	11.75-14.25
		MEDIUM	----------	----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	15.00-16.00	15.75-16.75	14.75-16.00	14.75-15.50
		MEDIUM	14.00-15.00	14.75-15.75	13.50-14.75	14.00-14.75
		CULL-COM	11.00-14.00	12.50-14.75	11.00-13.50	12.25-14.00
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	12.50-13.25	12.75-13.50	12.00-13.00	12.25-12.75
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	12.50-13.25	12.50-13.35	11.75-12.85	12.00-12.75
	(92# UP)	MEDIUM	11.25-12.50	11.50-12.75	11.00-12.00	11.50-12.25
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	11.25-13.00	11.25-13.25	11.00-12.75	11.50-12.50
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	8.50-11.25	8.50-11.50	8.50-11.00	9.00-11.50
YEARLING WETHERS	(110# DN)	MED-CH	8.50-11.75	8.75-12.25	8.50-11.00	8.25-11.50
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	4.75- 6.00	5.75- 7.50	4.75- 6.25	5.50- 6.25
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	4.75- 6.00	5.75- 7.25	4.50- 6.00	5.50- 6.00
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	1.75- 4.75	2.50- 3.75	1.50- 4.75	1.50- 5.50

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS.

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET - TUESDAY - MAY 21, 1929.

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
National Stock Yards	**4,000	**2,000	19,000	2,000
Chicago	5,500	3,000	15,000	15,000
Kansas City	7,000	1,000	13,000	9,000
Omaha	6,000	500	15,000	9,000
St. Joseph	1,800	200	7,000	4,000
St. Paul	2,200	1,300	4,500	300
Sioux City	3,000	200	3,500	2,500
Cincinnati	225	650	4,400	200
Indianapolis	1,500	900	8,000	200
Pittsburgh	25	75	1,050	500
Buffalo	125	350	800	50
Total 11 Markets	31,375	10,675	96,250	42,750
One week ago	33,000	11,425	79,300	51,500
One year ago	32,825	11,250	108,220	30,100
To date this week	83,450	27,100	213,230	105,625
Same period last week	82,075	28,725	162,880	120,325
Same period last year	86,875	26,450	243,360	70,950

**Run includes 800 cattle and calves on through billing. Today's estimated hog receipts include estimated unloads of through and direct billed hogs as follows: National Stock Yards 500 through and 1,000 direct; Chicago 800; Kansas City 1,000; Omaha 2,000; St. Joseph 1,000; Sioux City 500; St. Paul none.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-MONDAY-MAY 20, 1929.

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Actual receipts	3,279	1,876	13,299	2,348
Total shipments	525	498	5,579	- - -
Packer purchases	1,936	1,532	6,743	994

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-TUESDAY-MAY 21, 1929.

(Based on Market Conditions and Sales Reported up to 1:00 pm)

CATTLE: Receipts of cattle were estimated at 4,000 this morning, compared with actual arrivals of 3,095 last Tuesday, and total unloadings of 3,308 the corresponding day last year.

Evidently too many steers, mixed yearlings and heifers drifted into this market today on top of the liberal supply of yesterday and afforded the opportunity for another buyers' market. The stage was all set yesterday for the first act, while the second performance of the price slashing feature was carried over for today's session. The market ruled slow and draggy, with many of the above mentioned classes still in first hands shortly after the noon hour. Best light and handyweight steers escaped with little or no change, but such kinds were in the minority, while others were on a generally 15-25¢ lower basis, taking into consideration the less desirable quality and condition. Numerous loads of choice light heifers were among the offerings in the youngster class, besides a liberal showing of good grades. With some interests on the saturation point for material furnishing the light cuts of beef, salesmen found rather hard sledding in disposing of their consignments at somewhere near satisfactory figures to their consignors. Butcher cows although not in excessive supply, proved to be more than the trade could use at steady terms and the market ruled weak to 25¢ lower. Medium bulls were in poor demand at 25¢ lower prices on best weighty kinds, while lower grades are materially lower over a two day period. Vealers and low cutters held to a steady deal.*Over a two day period values on these have declined 50 to 75¢.

A load of 1111-lb. steers arrived late and topped the market at $14.20, with a four car string of 1095-lb. averages next high at $14.00. For the bulk the $12.25 to $13.50 terms were in order, with some very plain "yellowhammers" down to $10.25. A load of choice heifers averaging 593-lbs. topped their class at $14.50, with several other loads ranging downward to $13.65, while less finished kinds were found downward to $12.00 or below. Most cows cleared from $8.75 to $10.25 and low cutters largely $5.75 to $7.00. Medium bulls turned at $9.75 and downward, while good and choice vealers went largely on packer account at $14.00.

HOGS: Arrival of the largest one-day run of hogs since January 21, and the largest Tuesday run since January 15, proved a bearish factor in trade and the market opened slow at a decline of 15-25¢ from the best time of Monday. Demand from all interests expanded, however, and later trade was active with part of the loss regained and a good clearance effected, the average market being 15-20¢ lower, most closing sales showing the least decline. Packing sows encountered an active demand and prices declined about 10¢. Pigs and light lights moved readily though on a weak to 25¢ lower basis. Receipts here were estimated at 19,000 head including 1,500 billed through and direct compared with actual receipts of 14,293 last Tuesday and 15,539 a year ago.

Early sales of 160-240-lb. weights were made generally at $10.75, while bulk late was $10.80, about as many earning one price as the other. Several loads around mid-session and later cashed at $10.85 and near the close one load of strictly choice around 210-lb. averages scored the top price of $10.90. Weighty butchers were scarce, an occasional load of 260-290-lb. descriptions moving at $10.65. Bulk of 130-150-lb. light lights cleared at $10.00 to $10.50, a few lots of choice one fifties selling up to $10.60 or slightly better. Most 90-130-lb. pigs sold at $9.75 to $10.25, strong one thirties making the latter price. Majority of packing sows centered at $9.40 though a few sorted packers earned $9.50 and rough heavy kinds sold down to $9.25.

SHEEP: Trade was slow in the sheep house today but sellers were able to hold all classes and grades on about a steady deal. A liberal number of low grade clipped lambs were on sale, most of which had not sold up to a late hour. Spring lambs were present only in odd lots but found a fairly broad demand from all interests. Receipts were estimated at 2,000 head compared with actual arrivals of 2,419 last Tuesday and 2,659 same day a year ago.

One deck of near choice 87-lb. clipped lambs went to a packer at $13.25, most sales ranging from $12.75 to $13.00, culls down to around $8.50. Spring lambs turned to packers mostly at $15.50 to $15.75, city butchers paying $16.00 for a few small lots of choice grades. Culls were removed around $11.50 to $12.50. A part deck of aged wethers sold at $7.00 with two lots of two-year-old wethers at $8.50 and $9.00, and 30 head of medium grade 98-lb. yearlings at $10.50. Shorn ewes sold generally steady at $5.00 to $6.00, according to weight.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: Fed steers & ylgs. steady to strong; mostly steer run; other killing classes fully steady; stockers& feeders scarce; fed steers & ylgs. $12.50-13.75; few loads up $14.00 and above; 1161-lb. $14.40; heifers mostly $11.75-13.00; beef cows $9.00-11.00; all cutters $6.75-8.00; medium bulls $9.00-9.75; practical top veals $13.00; choice lots to independents $13.50-14.50; heavy calves $12.00-13.00.

Hogs: Active, steady to 10¢ lower; top $10.55 on 200-215#; bulk 180-240# $10.35-$10.50; 240-280# $10.25-10.40; 280-350# $10.00-10.25; odd lots 140-180# selections $9.50-10.40; packing sows & stags $9.00-9.35; smooth sows up to $9.50; stags up to $9.75; feeder pigs mostly $9.00-9.75.

Sheep: All classes generally steady; choice California spring lambs $15.25-15.50; medium grade $14.75; native spring lambs downward from $14.75; best fed wooled lambs $13.75; clippers $12.50; ewes $6.25 down; shearing lambs up to $13.00; California feeders $13.00; 3 cars Calif. feeding ylgs. $9.75, average around 87-lb.

5-21-29ACA2:43 p.m. - SEE OTHER SIDE -

-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, TUESDAY, MAY 21, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- LARGELY SLOW, STEADY MARKET ON FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS AND FAT SHE STOCK; BULLS UNCHANGED AND VEALERS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; STEERS AND YEARLINGS, ALTHOUGH SCARCE, PREDOMINATING IN RUN; BULK OF QUALITY AND CONDITION TO SELL AT $12.75 TO $13.75; DEMAND FOR WEIGHTY STEERS NARROW; REPLACEMENT CATTLE SCARCE, UNDERTONE WEAK; FEW LOADS LIGHT STEERS AND YEARLINGS OF VALUE TO SELL ABOVE $14.00, EARLY SALES MOSTLY $13.00 TO $13.75; MONDAY'S STEER SUPPLY FAIRLY WELL CLEANED UP ON CLOSING ROUNDS; PRACTICAL TOP WEIGHTY SAUSAGE BULLS $10.25; BIDDING $10.50 TO $12.50 ON 95 TO 125-LB. VEALERS, SALESMEN ASKING CONSIDERABLE MORE, SELECTED OFFERINGS AROUND $14.50, FEW $15.00.

HOGS:- SLOW, STEADY TO 10¢ LOWER THAN MONDAY'S AVERAGE, MOSTLY STEADY; TOP $11.15 PAID FOR A LOAD OF AROUND 210-LB. WEIGHTS; A FEW LOADS AT $11.05 AND $11.10; BULK OF BETTER GRADE 160 TO 230-LB. WEIGHTS $10.80 TO $11.00; GOOD AND CHOICE 240 TO 300-LB. AVERAGES MOSTLY $10.30 TO $10.80; LITTLE DONE ON HEAVIER BUTCHERS; BULK OF DESIRABLE 130 TO 150-LB. AVERAGES $10.50 TO $11.00; PIGS MOSTLY $9.50 TO $10.50, CHOICE STRONG WEIGHTS AT $10.75; BULK PACKING SOWS $9.50 TO $9.75, SMOOTH LIGHT WEIGHTS AT $9.85 AND UP TO $10.00.

SHEEP:- OPENING SLOW; FEW SALES AROUND STEADY; FEW LOADS GOOD TO CHOICE 86 TO 95-LB. SHORN LAMBS $12.75 TO $13.00, CHOICE KINDS HELD ABOVE $13.25, FEW THROWOUTS AT $10.00 TO $11.50; NO WOOLSKINS HERE; FEW NATIVE SPRINGERS $15.50 TO $16.25; BEST CALIFORNIAS HELD AROUND $16.50; FAT EWES $6.50 TO $7.00; NO FEEDING LAMBS SOLD.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- SLOW; FEW EARLY SALES FED STEERS AROUND STEADY WITH MONDAY'S DECLINE; MOST BIDS WEAK TO LOWER; LIGHT YEARLINGS SLOW, WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER; MANY SALES OF BETTER GRADES 50¢ UNDER A WEEK AGO; SLAUGHTER COWS SLOW, STEADY TO EASIER; BULLS LITTLE CHANGED; VEALERS AND CALVES STEADY TO 50¢ LOWER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS VERY SCARCE, UNCHANGED; SHORT LOAD CHOICE LIGHT WEIGHT STEERS EARLY $14.25; FOUR LOADS 1360-LB. COLORADO STEERS $13.60; SEVERAL LOADS FAT LIGHT YEARLINGS $12.50 TO $13.75; BUTCHER COWS $8.50 TO $10.50; FEW CHOICE COWS UPWARD TO $11.25; MEDIUM BULLS $8.75 TO $9.25; VEALERS MOSTLY $12.00 DOWN; WEIGHTY CALVES OF DESIRABLE QUALITY $10.00 TO $12.00.

HOGS:- FAIRLY ACTIVE, WEAK TO 10¢ LOWER; MOSTLY 10¢ LOWER THAN MONDAY'S AVERAGE; WEIGHTY BUTCHERS SHOW LEAST DECLINE; STOCK PIGS 10¢ LOWER; PACKER AND SHIPPER TOP $10.55 ON 180 TO 230-LBS.; BULK DESIRABLE 170 TO 260-LBS. $10.35 TO $10.50; 270 TO 325-LBS. $10.10 TO $10.35; LIGHT LIGHTS DULL, 10 TO 15¢ LOWER; 140 TO 160-LBS. $10.00 TO $10.40; PACKING SOWS $8.75 TO $9.40.

SHEEP:- SPRING LAMBS AND SHEEP STEADY TO STRONG; FED LAMBS ABOUT STEADY; TOP ARIZONA SPRING LAMBS $15.85, OTHERS $15.60 TO $15.75; WOOLSKINS $13.70; CLIPPERS $12.85; TWO-YEAR-OLD WETHERS $8.00 TO $8.40; ARIZONA EWES $5.75 TO $6.00.

			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)						
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$10.45-10.75	$10.35-10.90	$ 9.90-10.50	$ 9.75-10.50
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	10.50-10.80	10.50-11.15	10.30-10.55	10.10-10.55
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	10.40-10.85	10.15-11.10	10.25-10.55	9.50-10.55
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.00-10.80	9.85-11.05	10.00-10.40	9.25-10.35
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.10- 9.50	9.40- 9.90	8.50- 9.50	8.75- 9.50
SLAUGHTER PIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	9.25-10.25	9.50-10.75	9.25-10.40	-----------
FDR &STKR.PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	9.00-10.25	-----------	9.25-10.40	8.50- 9.75
AV. COST & WT. MON. (PIGS EXC.)			10.78-208#	10.76-240#	10.38-229#	10.33-248#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	-----------	13.00-14.50	-----------	-----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.25-14.25	14.00-14.90	13.25-14.00	13.50-14.25
		GOOD	12.75-13.25	13.25-14.25	12.50-13.25	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.25-14.50	14.00-15.00	13.25-14.25	13.50-14.50
		GOOD	12.75-13.50	13.25-14.25	12.75-13.50	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.50-14.50	13.75-14.60
		GOOD	12.75-14.00	13.25-14.25	12.75-13.50	12.75-13.75
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	11.75-12.75	12.25-13.25	11.50-12.75	11.75-12.75
		COMMON	9.50-12.00	10.75-12.25	9.50-11.50	9.50-11.75
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS; 750-950#)		CHOICE	13.75-14.75	14.25-15.00	13.50-14.50	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	12.75-14.00	13.25-14.25	12.75-13.50	12.75-13.75
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	13.50-14.50	13.75-14.75	12.75-14.00	13.00-14.00
		GOOD	12.25-13.50	12.75-13.75	11.75-13.00	11.75-13.00
		COM-MED	8.50-12.25	9.25-13.00	8.75-12.00	8.75-11.75
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	11.75-13.50	12.50-14.50	11.75-13.50	11.50-13.50
		GOOD	10.75-13.00	11.50-14.00	10.75-12.75	10.75-12.75
		MEDIUM	9.25-12.00	10.00-12.75	9.25-11.75	9.00-12.00
COWS:		CHOICE	10.75-11.75	11.25-12.00	10.75-12.00	10.75-12.00
		GOOD	9.75-10.75	9.75-11.25	9.50-10.75	9.50-10.75
		COM-MED	8.25- 9.75	7.75- 9.75	7.75- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
		LOWCUT-CUT	5.00- 8.25	6.25- 7.75	6.00- 7.75	6.25- 8.25
BULLS: (YLG.EXC.BEEF.)		GD-CH	9.75-11.00	10.25-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		CUT-MED	7.25- 9.75	8.00-10.35	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	9.50-13.00	9.00-11.00	9.00-12.50	10.00-13.50
		CULL-COM	6.50- 9.50	7.00- 9.00	6.00- 9.00	6.50-10.00
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	12.50-14.00	10.50-14.50	9.50-12.50	10.00-14.00
		MEDIUM	10.00-12.50	9.00-10.50	8.00- 9.50	9.50-10.00
		CULL-COM	6.00-10.00	7.00- 9.00	6.00- 8.00	6.00- 9.50
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.50-13.25	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.50
		COM-MED	9.00-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.00
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.25	11.75-14.25	12.25-14.25
		COM-MED	8.50-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.25
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	11.00-12.00	10.50-12.00	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		COM-MED	8.50-11.00	9.00-10.50	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
COWS:		GD-CH	8.50- 9.25	9.00- 9.50	8.00- 9.00	8.00- 9.00
		COM-MED	7.50- 8.50	8.25- 9.00	7.00- 8.00	6.75- 8.00
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	-----------	-----------	12.25-14.75	11.75-14.25
		MEDIUM	-----------	-----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	15.00-16.00	15.75-16.75	14.75-16.00	14.75-15.50
		MEDIUM	14.00-15.00	14.75-15.75	13.50-14.75	14.00-14.75
		CULL-COM	11.00-14.00	12.50-14.75	11.00-13.50	12.25-14.00
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	12.50-13.25	12.75-13.50	12.00-13.00	12.25-12.75
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	12.50-13.25	12.50-13.35	11.75-12.85	12.00-12.75
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	11.25-12.50	11.50-12.75	11.00-12.00	11.50-12.25
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	11.25-13.00	11.25-13.25	11.00-12.75	11.50-12.50
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	8.50-11.25	8.50-11.50	8.50-11.00	9.00-11.50
YEARLING WETHERS	(110# DN)	MED-CH	8.50-11.75	8.75-12.25	8.50-11.00	8.25-11.50
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	4.75- 6.00	5.75- 7.50	4.75- 6.25	5.50- 6.25
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	4.75- 6.00	5.75- 7.25	4.50- 6.00	5.50- 6.00
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	1.50- 4.75	2.50- 5.75	1.50- 4.75	1.50- 5.50

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS.

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-WEDNESDAY-MAY 22, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**2,500	**2,000	16,500	1,500
CHICAGO	6,500	2,000	17,000	17,000
KANSAS CITY	5,000	800	12,000	8,000
OMAHA	5,500	300	13,000	9,000
ST. JOSEPH	1,100	200	6,000	4,000
ST. PAUL	2,300	3,200	9,500	200
SIOUX CITY	2,500	100	9,500	300
CINCINNATI	475	525	3,100	450
INDIANAPOLIS	1,000	800	7,000	200
PITTSBURGH	25	500	1,050	700
BUFFALO	75	100	1,280	100
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	27,475	10,525	95,930	41,450
ONE WEEK AGO	29,775	11,650	93,660	50,525
ONE YEAR AGO	31,955	13,000	94,000	28,900
TO DATE THIS WEEK	110,925	37,625	313,160	147,075
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	111,850	40,375	276,540	170,850
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	118,830	39,450	342,360	99,850

**RUN INCLUDES 850 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 1,500 THROUGH; CHICAGO 5,000; KANSAS CITY 500; OMAHA 1,100; ST. JOSEPH 300; SIOUX CITY 400; ST. PAUL 220.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-TUESDAY-MAY 21, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	3,773	2,704	22,582	2,598
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	898	331	9,639	293
PACKER PURCHASES	2,312	2,507	11,796	3,525

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-WEDNESDAY-MAY 22, 1929.

(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P. M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 2500, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 2277 LAST WEDNESADY, AND TOTAL UNLOADINGS OF 2080 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR. THE SUPPLY OF STEERS WAS ONLY MODERATE HERE TODAY, AND TAKING THE GROUP AS A WHOLE A LARGER PERCENTAGE WAS FOUND UP IN THE GOOD GRADE, WITH A FOUR-CAR STRING OF OKLAHOMA FED MEDIUMWEIGHT STEERS CAPABLE OF GRADING CHOICE. THE MARKET RULED SLOW, BUT MOSTLY ON A STEADY BASIS. IN A FEW SPOTS SALES APPEARED A SHADE LOWER ON PAPER, BUT WATER-FILLS WERE MORE LIBERAL, WHICH TENDED TO OFFSET THIS. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS WERE THE SOURCE OF TROUBLE TO MANY SALESMEN AS THE TRADE ON THESE WAS VERY DRAGGY, AND EVEN BIDS SOMETIMES APPEARED HARD TO GET. THE FINAL RESULT WAS A WEAK TO MOSTLY 25¢ LOWER DEAL, WITH MANY OF THE BETTER GRADE LOAD LOTS EXCHANGING OWNERSHIP FULLY $1.00 LOWER THAN A WEEK AGO TODAY. THERE WAS NOT MUCH ACTION ON THE COW AND CUTTER TRADE BUT THE DEMAND WAS SUFFICIENT TO MAINTAIN PRICES ABOUT STEADY. MEDIUM BULLS LOST GROUND AGAIN WITH THE MARKET QUOTABLE WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER, AND VEALERS WERE A FLAT 25¢ LOWER.

THE ABOVE MENTIONED OKLAHOMA STEERS SCALING 1227-LBS. PLACED THE TOP AT $14.10, WITH VERY LITTLE INBETWEEN THIS PRICE AND $13.40 AT WHICH FIGURE SEVERAL LOADS OF YEARLINGS CROSSED THE SCALES. FOR THE BULK THE $12.75 TO $13.40 TERMS WERE POPULAR, WITH YELLOWHAMMERS DOWNWARD TO $11.25 OR BELOW. TWO LOADS OF CHOICE 679-LB. HEIFERS CASHED AT $14.00, WITH SEVERAL LOADS BETWEEN $13.35 AND $13.75, AND OTHER LOADS AND ODD LOTS INCLUDING MIXED MATERIAL DOWN TO $12.00 OR BELOW. MOST COWS TURNED AT $8.75 TO $10.25; LOW CUTTERS LARGELY $5.75 TO $6.75, AND CUTTERS UPWARD TO $8.00. A FEW MEDIUM BULLS BROUGHT $9.65, BUT THE PRACTICAL TOP WAS $9.50, OTHERS DOWNWARD. GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WENT TO PACKERS AND SHIPPERS AT $13.75 FOR THE TOP AND BULK.

HOGS:- HOG RECEIPTS CONTINUED TO RUN QUITE LIBERAL AND SOME WEAKNESS WAS NOTED ON OPENING ROUNDS WHICH WERE VERY SLOW. SHIPPING OUTLET EXPANDED A LITTLE LATER HOWEVER AND ALL INTERESTS WERE BUYING ACTIVELY BEFORE MID-SESSION, BULK OF SALES BEING MADE ON A STEADY BASIS COMPARED WITH THE AVERAGE OF TUESDAY. SUPPLIES PROVED TO SCANTY TO FILL LATE ORDERS, HOWEVER, AND LATE ARRIVALS SOLD AT AN ADVANCE OF FULLY 5 TO 10¢, CLOSING SALES REFLECTING THE FULL STRENGTH OF THE MARKET. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS FAILED TO FIND MUCH ACTION AND SOLD SLOWLY ON A STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER BASIS. PACKING SOWS OPENED FULLY STEADY AND CLOSED STRONG. RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 16,500 INCLUDING 1,500 BILLED THROUGH COMPARED WITH ACTUAL MARKETINGS OF 14,514 LAST WEDNESDAY AND 12,768 A YEAR AGO. TOTAL AT ELEVEN MARKETS WAS ABOUT THE SAME AS THAT OF A WEEK AGO.

MOST OF THE HOGS SOLD BEFORE MID-SESSION AT $10.75 AND $10.80 FOR DESIRABLE 160 TO 240-LB. WEIGHTS, LATTER PRICE TAKING THE MAJORITY. LATE ARRIVALS FOUND AN OUTLET AT $10.85 FOR A MODERATE NUMBER AND AT THE CLOSE TWO SIZABLE STRINGS WITHIN THE ABOVE MENTIONED WEIGHT SPREAD EARNED $10.90 WITH ONE CHOICE LOAD FURNISHING A TOP AT $10.95. WEIGHTY HOGS WERE SCARCE, A FEW LOADS OF 260 TO 300-LB. DESCRIPTIONS SELLING EARLY AT $10.60 AND $10.65. MOST 130 TO 150-LB. LIGHT LIGHTS REALIZED $10.00 TO $10.50, WITH 90 TO 130-LB. PIGS AT $9.50 TO $10.00. POPULAR PRICE FOR PACKING SOWS WAS $9.40 WITH SEVERAL LOTS OF SMOOTH DESCRIPTIONS SELLING LATE AT $9.50.

SHEEP:- SHEEP RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 1500 HEAD TODAY COMPARED WITH ACTUAL MARKETINGS OF 1506 LAST WEDNESDAY AND 1983 CORRESPONDING SESSION LAST YEAR. TRADE WAS SLOW IN OPENING BUT BETTER GRADES OF CLIPPED LAMBS AND SPRING LAMBS WOUND UP STEADY, LOWER GRADES OF CLIPPED LAMBS BEING IN NARROW DEMAND AND FINDING A SLOW OUTLET AT WEAK TO UNEVENLY LOWER FIGURES. MODERATE NUMBERS OF LOWER GRADE LAMBS HAVE BEEN HELD OVER DURING THE EARLY PART OF THE WEEK. SHEEP WERE SCARCE AND HELD STEADY. MOST OF THE BETTER CLIPPED LAMBS SOLD AT $12.50 TO $13.00, STRICTLY CHOICE HANDYWEIGHTS BEING ELIGIBLE TO A LITTLE MORE THAN THE LATTER FIGURE. MEDIUM GRADES ARE SALABLE AROUND $11.00 TO $12.00 WITH SEVERAL DECKS ON THE COMMON ORDER SELLING RECENTLY AT $10.00. CULLS ARE SALABLE DOWN TO $8.50 AND BELOW. PACKERS PURCHASED MOST OF THE BETTER SPRING LAMBS AT $15.50 TO $15.75, CITY BUTCHERS TAKING A FEW CHOICE AT $16.00. CULL SPRINGERS ARE SALABLE AROUND $11.00 TO $12.00, MEDIUM $13.00 TO $14.00. A PART DECK OF PLAIN QUALITY AGED WETHERS AVERAGING 92 POUNDS EARNED $6.50 AND BULK OF SHORN EWES CASHED AT $5.00 TO $6.00 ACCORDING TO WEIGHT.

OMAHA MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS SLOW, EARLY SALES STEADY TO STRONG; SHE-STOCK STEADY; BULLS WEAK; VEALS AND CALVES STEADY; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS IN LIGHT SUPPLY; LARGELY A STEER RUN WITH QUALITY IMPROVED, BULK $12.50 TO $14.00; WEIGHTY STEERS $13.85, FEW HEAD $14.00, MEDIUM WEIGHTS ABOUT 1200-LBS. $14.35, SOME HELD HIGHER; HEIFERS $11.75 TO $13.50; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00 TO $11.00, FEW UP TO $12.00; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.75 TO $8.00; MEDIUM BULLS $9.00 TO $9.60; PRACTICAL TOP ON VEALS AND HEAVY CALVES $13.00; LIGHT STOCKERS 507-LBS. $14.00.

HOGS:- FAIRLY ACTIVE, STEADY TO STRONG TO ALL INTERESTS; TOP $10.60; 180 TO 240-LBS. $10.35 TO $10.50; 240 TO 300-LBS. $10.25 TO $10.50; 300 TO 400-LBS. $10.00 TO $10.25; 150 TO 180-LBS. $9.75 TO $10.40; PACKING SOWS $9.00-$9.50; FEEDER PIGS $9.00 TO $9.75.

SHEEP:- LAMBS STEADY TO 15¢ HIGHER, MOSTLY STEADY; OTHER CLASSES UNCHANGED; CHOICE CALIFORNIA SPRING LAMBS $15.50, MEDIUM GRADE $13.75; BEST NATIVE SPRINGERS $14.75; FED WOOLED LAMBS UP TO $14.00; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $12.00 TO $12.75, ONE LOAD 84-LBS. $12.90; SHORN EWES $6.25 DOWN; CALIFORNIA FEEDING LAMBS $13.00.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- TRADE ON MOST KILLING CLASSES MORE ACTIVE, STRONG TO UNEVENLY HIGHER; FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS MOSTLY 10 TO 15¢ HIGHER, SPOTS 25¢ UP; HEAVIES SHARING UPTURN ALONG WITH YEARLINGS; LIGHT WEIGHT FAT COWS, CUTTERS AND BUTCHER HEIFERS IN MUCH MORE ACTIVE DEMAND THAN WEIGHTY OFFERINGS, STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; BULLS ABOUT STEADY; VEALERS STRONG TO 50¢ HIGHER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS AGAIN VERY SCARCE; EARLY TOP LONG YEARLINGS $14.60; MEDIUM WEIGHTS $14.50 AND HEAVIES $14.40; MOST SALES $13.25 TO $14.25, SPRINKLING FROM $11.50 TO $12.50 ON KILLER ACCOUNT; BIG WEIGHT BULLOCKS SCALING AROUND 1800-LB. HELD SINCE MONDAY $13.25 AND $14.00; PRACTICAL TOP WEIGHTY SAUSAGE BULLS $10.25; MOST LIGHT VEALERS $11.00 TO $12.50, SMALL KILLER AND SHIPPER KINDS $14.00 TO $15.00, MOSTLY $14.50.

HOGS:- OPENED SLOW AT STEADY TO 10¢ LOWER PRICES, LATER TRADE FAIRLY ACTIVE, STRONG; A NUMBER OF LOADS 5 TO 10¢ HIGHER LATE; TOP $11.10 PAID FOR AN OCCASIONAL LOAD OF 180 TO 200-LB. WEIGHTS; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 160 TO 230-LB. AVERAGES $10.80 TO $11.00; 240 TO 290-LB. AVERAGES $10.60 TO $10.85; AN OCCASIONAL LOAD OF BIG WEIGHT BUTCHERS AT $10.50 AND $10.55; LIGHT LIGHTS AND PIGS 10 T 15¢ LOWER; DESIRABLE 130 TO 150-LB. WEIGHTS $10.40 TO $10.90; PIGS LARGELY $9.50 TO $10.50; BULK PACKING SOWS $9.60 TO $9.85; SMOOTH LIGHT WEIGHTS UP TO $10.00.

SHEEP:- OPENING STEADY TO SHADE LOWER; SOME BIDS AROUND 25¢ LOWER; FOUR LOADS CHOICE 76 TO 80-LB. SHORN LAMBS $13.50; BULK GOOD TO CHOICE 85-LB. AND UP HELD AROUND $13.00; SEVERAL LOADS GOOD TO CHOICE AROUND 85-LB. WOOLSKINS $14.85, SOME HELD HIGHER; TWO LOADS SHORN CALIFORNIA SPRINGERS $14.50; SCATTERED LOTS NATIVE SPRINGERS $15.50 TO $16.50; FEW THROWOUTS, SHORN LAMBS $10.00 TO $11.50; FAT EWES AROUND STEADY, MOSTLY $7.00 DOWN; THREE LOADS SHORN TWO-YEAR-OLD CALIFORNIA WETHERS LOOK UNEVENLY LOWER AT $9.25; FEEDING LAMBS NOMINAL.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- FED STEER TRADE MORE ACTIVE, MOSTLY STEADY TO 15¢ HIGHER; BETTER KINDS OF LIGHT YEARLINGS FULLY STEADY, OTHER SLOW; OTHER KILLING CLASSES COMPARATIVELY SCARCE, STEADY; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS VERY SCARCE, UNCHANGED; TWO LOADS STRICTLY CHOICE 1644-LB. FED KANSAS STEERS $14.25; CHOICE MEDIUM WEIGHT NEBRASKAS $14.00; BULK DESIRABLE FED STEERS $12.50 TO $13.75, LATTER PRICE PAID FOR TWO LOADS CHOICE MEDIUM WEIGHT COLORADOS; CHOICE MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS $14.00, OTHER LIGHT YEARLINGS $12.00 TO $13.50; BULK BUTCHER COWS $8.50 TO $10.50; FEW CHOICE COWS UPWARD TO $11.25; MEDIUM BULLS $8.75 TO $9.25; VEALERS MOSTLY $12.00 DOWN.

HOGS:- ACTIVE; FULLY STEADY WITH TUESDAY'S BEST PRICES; SPOTS 5 TO 10¢ HIGHER ON STRONG WEIGHT BUTCHERS; STOCK PIGS STEADY; TOP $10.55 ON CHOICE 180 TO 250-LBS.; BULK DESIRABLE 170 TO 270-LBS. $10.40 TO $10.55; 280 TO 325-LB. BUTCHERS $10.15 TO $10.40; 140 TO 160-LBS. $10.10 TO $10.40; PACKING SOWS $8.75 TO $9.40; STOCK PIGS $9.50 TO $10.40.

SHEEP:- LAMBS AND SPRING LAMBS UNEVEN, GENERALLY STEADY TO 15¢ LOWER; SHEEP WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER, SPOTS OFF MORE; TOP ARIZONA SPRING LAMBS TO SHIPPERS $16.00, OTHERS DOWNWARD TO $15.50, ODD LOTS NATIVES $14.00 TO $15.00; WOOLED LAMBS $13.60 TO $13.75; EARLY TOP CLIPPED LAMBS $12.60; TEXAS WETHERS $7.00; TWO-YEAR-OLDS $8.00.

HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$10.50-10.80	$10.40-10.90	$10.00-10.55	$ 9.85-10.50
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	10.65-10.95	10.50-11.10	10.35-10.55	10.15-10.60
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	10.35-10.95	10.15-11.10	10.25-10.55	9.60-10.60
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.00-10.85	9.85-11.00	10.00-10.40	9.35-10.40
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.10- 9.50	9.40-10.00	8.50- 9.50	8.75- 9.60
SLAUGHTER PIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	9.25-10.00	9.50-10.75	9.25-10.40	------------
FDR & STKR. PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	9.00-10.00	------------	9.25-10.40	8.50- 9.75
AV. COST & WT. TUES. (PIGS EXC)			10.65-209#	10.70-243#	10.38-223#	10.28-251#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	------------	13.00-14.50	------------	------------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.25-14.25	14.25-14.90	13.40-14.25	13.50-14.25
		GOOD	12.75-13.25	13.25-14.25	12.50-13.25	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.25-14.50	14.25-15.00	13.25-14.25	13.50-14.50
		GOOD	12.75-13.50	13.40-14.25	12.50-13.50	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.75	14.40-15.00	13.50-14.50	13.75-14.60
		GOOD	12.75-14.00	13.50-14.40	12.75-13.50	12.75-13.75
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	11.75-12.75	12.25-13.50	11.50-12.75	11.75-12.75
		COMMON	9.50-12.00	10.75-12.25	9.50-11.50	9.50-11.75
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	13.75-14.75	14.40-15.00	13.50-14.50	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	12.75-14.00	13.40-14.40	12.75-13.50	12.75-13.75
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	13.25-14.25	14.00-14.75	12.75-14.00	13.00-14.00
		GOOD	12.00-13.25	13.00-14.00	11.75-13.00	11.75-13.00
		COM-MED	8.50-12.00	9.25-13.00	8.75-12.00	8.75-11.75
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	11.50-13.50	12.50-14.50	11.75-13.50	11.50-13.50
		GOOD	10.75-12.75	11.50-14.00	10.75-12.75	10.75-12.75
		MEDIUM	9.25-11.75	10.00-12.75	9.25-11.75	9.00-12.00
COWS:		CHOICE	10.75-11.75	11.25-12.00	10.75-12.00	10.75-12.00
		GOOD	9.75-10.75	9.75-11.50	9.50-10.75	9.50-10.75
		COM-MED	8.25- 9.75	8.00-10.00	7.75- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
		LOWCUT-CUT	5.00- 8.25	6.50- 8.00	6.00- 7.75	6.25- 8.25
BULLS:	(YLG. EXC. BEEF.)	GD-CH	9.50-10.75	10.25-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		CUT-MED	7.00- 9.50	8.00-10.35	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	9.50-13.00	9.00-11.00	9.00-12.50	10.00-13.50
		CULL-COM	6.50- 9.50	7.00- 9.00	6.00- 9.00	6.50-10.00
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	12.25-13.75	11.00-15.00	9.50-12.50	10.00-14.00
		MEDIUM	9.75-12.25	9.00-11.00	8.00- 9.50	9.50-10.00
		CULL-COM	6.00- 9.75	7.00- 9.00	6.00- 8.00	6.00- 9.50
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.50-13.25	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.50
		COM-MED	9.00-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.00
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.75-13.25	12.25-13.25	11.75-14.25	12.25-14.25
		COM-MED	8.50-11.75	9.75-12.50	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.25
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	11.00-12.00	10.50-12.00	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		COM-MED	8.50-11.00	9.00-10.50	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
COWS:		GD-CH	8.50- 9.25	9.00- 9.50	8.00- 9.00	8.00- 9.00
		COM-MED	7.50- 8.50	8.25- 9.00	7.00- 8.00	6.75- 8.00
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	------------	------------	12.25-14.75	11.75-14.25
		MEDIUM	------------	------------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	15.00-16.00	15.75-16.75	14.75-16.00	14.75-15.50
		MEDIUM	14.00-15.00	14.75-15.75	13.50-14.75	13.75-14.75
		CULL-COM	11.00-14.00	12.50-14.75	10.50-13.50	12.25-13.75
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	12.50-13.25	12.75-13.50	11.85-12.65	12.25-12.90
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	12.25-13.25	12.50-13.35	11.75-12.75	12.00-12.90
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	11.00-12.50	11.50-12.75	10.85-11.85	11.50-12.25
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	11.00-13.00	11.25-13.25	10.75-12.60	11.50-12.75
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	8.25-11.00	8.50-11.50	8.25-10.85	9.00-11.50
YEARLING WETHERS	(110# DN)	MED-CH	8.50-11.75	8.75-12.25	8.25-10.75	8.25-11.50
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	4.75- 6.00	5.75- 7.50	4.50- 6.00	5.50- 6.25
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	4.75- 6.00	5.75- 7.25	4.25- 5.75	5.50- 6.00
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	1.50- 4.75	2.50- 5.75	1.50- 4.50	1.50- 5.50

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59-61 EXCHANGE BUILDING — NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS. — TELEPHONE-BRIDGE 2660

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-THURSDAY-MAY 23, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**1,000	**1,000	12,500	1,800
CHICAGO	7,500	3,000	25,000	17,000
KANSAS CITY	1,500	400	8,000	7,000
OMAHA	2,500	200	12,000	7,000
ST. JOSEPH	800	200	4,000	4,000
ST. PAUL	1,800	1,500	6,000	300
SIOUX CITY	2,000	100	8,500	3,000
CINCINNATI	275	650	2,400	600
INDIANAPOLIS	600	700	6,000	200
PITTSBURGH	25	150	2,350	300
BUFFALO	25	300	600	100
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	18,025	8,100	87,350	41,300
ONE WEEK AGO	19,550	9,075	92,200	47,025
ONE YEAR AGO	20,585	9,625	84,900	25,700
TO DATE THIS WEEK	128,950	45,725	400,510	188,375
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	131,400	49,450	368,740	217,875
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	139,415	49,075	427,260	125,550

**RUN INCLUDES 650 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 2,000; CHICAGO 4,500; KANSAS CITY 1,500; OMAHA 2,000; ST. JOSEPH 150; SIOUX CITY 400; ST. PAUL NONE.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-WEDNESDAY-MAY 22, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	3,007	2,057	17,003	1,894
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	1,629	858	5,180	918
PACKER PURCHASES	2,051	1,281	9,884	1,616

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-THURSDAY-MAY 23, 1929.
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 PM)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 1,000 TODAY, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 2,393 LAST THURSDAY, AND A TOTAL OF 1,245 BY ACTUAL COUNT THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

WITH ONLY 1,000 CATTLE ESTIMATED AND THIS FIGURE INCLUDING A LIBERAL PROPORTION OF WHICH WERE IN ON THROUGH BILLING, THERE WERE NOT ENOUGH LEFT FOR A SALABLE SUPPLY TO CREATE VERY MUCH INTEREST ANYWHERE. THE FEW BUNCHES OF STEERS, MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS OFFERED WERE READILY CLEANED UP AT STEADY TO IN SPOTS STRONGER OR EVEN HIGHER TERMS, BUT WITH NOT ENOUGH TO WORK ON TO FURNISH A RELIABLE CRITERION OF THE MARKET. GENERALLY SPEAKING, COWS AND ALL CUTTERS WERE MOST NUMEROUS, BUT EVEN THESE WERE SCARCE. A MOSTLY STEADY DEAL WAS IN PROGRESS WITH SOME ADDITIONAL STRENGTH HERE AND THERE ON BUTCHER COWS. THE SMALL SUPPLY OF MEDIUM BULLS MET WITH A NARROW DEMAND ABOUT IN LINE WITH THE 25 TO 50¢ BREAK FOR THE WEEK, IN WHICH INBETWEEN GRADE MEDIUM BULLS AND HEAVY BUTCHER KINDS SUFFERED THE MAXIMUM DOWNTURN. VEALER PRICES SLID BACK 25¢ BELOW THE GENERAL GOING OF YESTERDAY.

IN SMALL BUNCHES STEERS RANGED FROM $11.75 TO $13.80; MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS $11.50 TO $13.50 LARGELY, WITH A SMALL LOT OF AROUND 800-LB. CHOICE MIXED ANGUS YEARLINGS AT $14.00. FOR THE COWS A SPREAD OF $8.75 TO $10.50 CAUGHT THE BULK, WITH LOW CUTTERS LARGELY $5.75 TO $6.75, SOME LIGHT "SHELLY" KINDS DOWNWARD TO $5.00 AND CUTTERS UPWARD TO $8.00. THE PRACTICAL TOP ON MEDIUM BULLS WAS $9.50 WITH ONLY A FEW AT THAT FIGURE. GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WENT TO PACKERS AND SHIPPERS AT $13.50 FOR THE BULK.

HOGS: HOG MARKETINGS FELL A LITTLE SHORT OF THOSE OF A WEEK AGO AND SELLING INTERESTS OBTAINED CONTROL OF THE MARKET. OPENING SALES WERE MADE AT AN ADVANCE OF 10 TO 15¢ OVER THE AVERAGE OF WEDNESDAY, WEIGHTIER BUTCHERS SHOWING THE LEAST ADVANCE AND FINDING THE SLOWEST OUTLET. PACKERS WERE HESITANT ABOUT FOLLOWING THE ADVANCE AND WITH SUPPLIES TOO NUMEROUS FOR THE LIMITED OUTSIDE ORDERS TO ABSORB, LATER TRADE WAS RATHER SLOW WITH A SMALL PORTION OF THE ADVANCE LOST. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS FOUND A LITTLE BETTER ACTION AND A STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER DEAL RESULTED. PACKING SOWS ADVANCED 10 TO 15¢. LOCAL RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 12,500 INCLUDING 2,000 BILLED THROUGH COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 15,873 LAST THURSDAY AND 13,060 SAME DAY A YEAR AGO.

MOST EARLY SALES OF 160 TO 230-LB. WEIGHTS WERE MADE AT $10.90 AND $10.95, SEVERAL LOADS OF CHOICE 180 TO 210-LB. WEIGHTS REALIZING THE TOP PRICE OF $11.00. PACKERS ENTERED THE MARKET ABOUT MID-SESSION AND PUT UP MOST OF THEIR DROVES OF THE ABOVE MENTIONED WEIGHTS AT $10.80, TOP ON LATE ROUNDS BEING $10.95 FOR A LIMITED NUMBER. SEVERAL LOADS OF 240 TO 280-LB. BUTCHERS MOVED AT $10.75 TO $10.85 WITH PRACTICALLY NO WEIGHTIER BUTCHERS ON SALE. LIGHT LIGHTS SCALING 130 TO 150-LBS. REALIZED $10.25 TO $10.75 ACCORDING TO WEIGHT, MOST OF THE 90 TO 130-LB. SLAUGHTER PIGS MAKING THE $9.75 TO $10.25 MONEY. MAJORITY OF PACKING SOWS TURNED AT $9.50 TO $9.60, A FEW LOTS OF SMOOTH KINDS SELLING UP TO $9.65.

SHEEP: ODD LOTS AND MIXED CARS MADE UP THE BULK OF THE SHEEP AND LAMB SUPPLIES TODAY. ESTIMATES CALLED FOR 1,800 HEAD, OVER HALF OF WHICH WERE BILLED THROUGH COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 3,518 LAST THURSDAY AND 1,263 CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR. DEMAND WAS AMPLE TO TAKE CARE OF ALL DESIRABLE GRADES OF ALL CLASSES AND THE MARKET THROUGHOUT WAS QUOTED FULLY STEADY WITH AN UNDERTONE OF FIRMNESS. NO CHOICE CLIPPED LAMBS WERE OFFERED, A FEW MEDIUM TO GOOD GRADES SELLING AT $12.50 TO $12.75, AND IT WAS THE OPINION OF TRADE MEMBERS THAT CHOICE GRADES WOULD SELL AT $13.00 TO $13.25. CULLS WERE WEIGHED AT $8.50 TO $9.50. PACKERS PURCHASED MOST OF THE BETTER SPRING LAMBS AT $15.50 TO $15.75, CITY BUTCHERS ABSORBING A FEW CHOICE KINDS AT $16.00. MEDIUM GRADES ARE SALABLE AT $14.00 TO $15.00, MOST CULLS $11.00 TO $12.00. PRACTICALLY NO YEARLING OR AGED WETHERS WERE ON SALE. MOST OF THE LIGHT SUPPLY OF CLIPPED EWES WENT TO PACKERS AT $5.00 TO $6.00, ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: ALL KILLING CLASSES ACTIVE, STRONG TO SHADE HIGHER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS SCARCE, FULLY STEADY; FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.75-$13.75; LIGHT STEERS $14.10; YEARLINGS $14.25; SMALL LOTS HEIFERS $11.75-13.25; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00-11.00; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.75-8.00; MEDIUM BULLS $9.00-9.75; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $13.00; CHOICE LOTS TO INDEPENDENTS $14.00-14.50; LIGHT YEARLING STOCKERS $13.35.
HOGS: ACTIVE, STEADY TO 10¢ HIGHER; TOP $10.65 ON 210# BUTCHERS; BULK 160-250# $10.40-10.60; BULK 250-300# BUTCHERS $10.25-10.50; BULK 300-375# BIG WEIGHTS $10.00-10.25; ODD LOTS 140-160# SELECTIONS $9.75-10.50; PACKING SOWS $9.25-9.50.
SHEEP: LAMBS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; SHEEP AND FEEDERS STEADY; CALIFORNIA SPRING LAMBS $15.00-15.75; NATIVES $14.00-15.00; FED WOOLED LAMBS $13.75; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $12.35-$12.75; POPULAR PRICE $12.75 INCLUDING 84-97#; SHORN EWES $6.25 DOWN; FEEDING LAMBS $13.00.

NOTE: - THIS OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED DECORATION DAY, MAY 30. STOCK ARRIVING ON THAT DAY WILL BE CARED FOR AS USUAL.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, THURSDAY, MAY 23, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- Slow; early market turned more active; becoming steady to strong with spots higher on most killing classes and especially better grade light and medium weight fed steers; yearlings fully steady; she stock slow; light cows and butcher heifers getting best action; bulls fully steady and vealers mostly unchanged; early top light weight steers $14.65; up to $14.60 bid on kinds scaling close to 1400-lbs.;$14.60 paid for 636-lb. yearling heifers; most early sales $13.00 to $14.25; better end steer and yearling crop turning at $14.25 to $14.65; practical top weighty sausage bulls $10.25, but several head outstandingly heavy kinds to shippers $10.35 and better; most selected vealers $14.00 to $15.00, light kinds largely $11.00 to $12.00.

HOGS:- Fairly active; mostly steady to higs scaling under 240-lbs., heavier weights strong to 10¢ higher; top $11.05 paid for around 200-lb. averages; bulk of better grade 160 to 230-lb. weights $10.85 to $11.00; 240 to 300-lb. averages $10.65 to $10.85; strictly choice 348-lb. averages at $10.60; bulk of better grade 130 to 150-lb. weights $10.40 to $10.85, strictly choice sorts up to $11.00; pigs mostly $9.75 to $10.50; bulk packing sows $9.60 to $9.85, smooth light weights up to $10.00.

SHEEP:- Opening steady to strong on spring lambs, other classes very slow; practically no sales, generally bidding shade lower; asking fully steady; few loads choice spring lambs $16.75; scattered lots natives $15.50 to $16.50; bulk good to choice wooled lambs held around $15.00; few good to choice shorn lambs $12.75, generally asking around $13.00, best held above $13.25; throwouts $9.50 to $11.00; sheep steady to strong; scattered lots fat ewes $6.50 to $7.25, few choice light kinds $7.50; two loads 99-lb. wethers $9.25; feeding lambs nominal.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- Fairly active trade on the limited supply of fed steers at strong to 15¢ higher prices; other killing classes little changed; some strength on the better kinds of light yearlings; vealers and calves steady; stockers and feeders nominal; choice 944-lb. Kansas steers $14.00, same price paid for choice 1187-lb. Colorados, other fed steers mostly $12.50 to $13.75; good heavy steers $13.25; few plain light steers down to $12.00 and below; short load choice 620-lb. heifers $14.25, other light yearlings $12.25 to $13.30; few butcher cows $8.50 to $10.50; medium bulls $8.75 to $9.25; vealers mostly $12.00 down; few selected kinds $12.50 and above.

HOGS:- Active; mostly 10 to 15¢ higher than Wednesday's average; spots up more on light lights; stock pigs strong; top $10.70 on choice 200 to 240-lbs.; bulk desirable 170 to 270-lbs. $10.50 to $10.65; 280 to 350-lbs. $10.25 to $10.50; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.25 to $10.60; packing sows $8.75 to $9.60; stock pigs $9.50 to $10.50.

SHEEP:- Lambs and spring lambs steady to 25¢ lower; sheep steady; top Arizona spring lambs $16.00, others $15.65; better grade natives $14.25 to $15.00; top clipped lambs $12.50, most sales $12.25 to $12.50; best ewes $6.00.

			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)						
Hvy. Wts.	(250-350#)	Med-Ch	$10.60-10.85	$10.45-10.90	$10.10-10.60	$ 9.85-10.55
Med. Wts.	(200-250#)	Med-Ch	10.65-10.95	10.55-11.05	10.40-10.70	10.20-10.65
Lt. Wts.	(160-200#)	Med-Ch	10.50-10.95	10.15-11.05	10.35-10.70	9.75-10.65
Lt. Lts.	(130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.25-10.90	9.85-11.00	10.00-10.60	9.50-10.50
Packing sows, smooth and rough			9.20- 9.65	9.40-10.00	8.50- 9.60	9.00- 9.65
SlaughterPigs	(90-130#)	Med-Ch	9.50-10.25	9.50-10.75	9.25-10.50	----------
Fdr &Stkr.Pigs	(70-130#)	Med-Ch	9.25-10.25	----------	9.25-10.50	8.75- 9.75
Av. Cost & Wt. Wed. (Pigs Exc)			10.63-214#	10.73-241#	10.36-228#	10.28-254#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
Steers:	(1500# up)	Gd-Ch	----------	13.00-14.50	----------	----------
Steers:	(1300-1500#)	Choice	13.25-14.25	14.25-14.90	13.40-14.25	13.50-14.25
		Good	12.75-13.25	13.25-14.25	12.50-13.25	12.75-13.50
Steers:	(1100-1300#)	Choice	13.25-14.50	14.25-15.00	13.40-14.25	13.50-14.50
		Good	12.75-13.50	13.40-14.25	12.75-13.65	12.75-13.50
Steers:	(950-1100#)	Choice	13.75-14.75	14.40-15.00	13.65-14.50	13.75-14.60
		Good	12.75-14.00	13.50-14.40	12.75-13.65	12.75-13.75
Steers:	(800# up)	Medium	11.75-12.75	12.25-13.50	11.50-12.75	11.75-12.75
		Common	9.50-12.00	10.75-12.25	9.50-11.50	9.50-11.75
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)		Choice	13.75-14.75	14.50-15.00	13.65-14.50	13.75-14.75
		Good	12.75-14.00	13.50-14.50	12.75-13.65	12.75-13.75
Heifers:	(850# dn)	Choice	13.25-14.25	14.00-14.75	12.75-14.00	13.00-14.00
		Good	12.00-13.25	13.00-14.00	11.75-13.00	11.75-13.00
		Com-Med	8.50-12.00	9.50-13.00	8.75-12.00	8.75-11.75
Heifers:	(850# up)	Choice	11.50-13.50	12.50-14.50	11.75-13.50	11.50-13.50
		Good	10.75-12.75	11.50-14.00	10.75-12.75	10.75-12.75
		Medium	9.25-11.75	10.00-13.00	9.25-11.75	9.00-12.00
Cows:		Choice	10.75-11.75	11.25-12.00	10.75-12.00	11.00-12.00
		Good	9.75-10.75	9.75-11.50	9.50-10.75	9.50-11.00
		Com-Med	8.25- 9.75	8.00-10.00	7.75- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
		Low Cut-Cut	5.00- 8.25	6.50- 8.00	6.00- 7.75	6.25- 8.25
Bulls:	(Ylg.Exc.Beef.)	Gd-Ch	9.50-10.75	10.25-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		Cut-Med	7.00- 9.50	8.00-10.40	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
Calves:	(500# dn)	Med-Ch	9.50-13.00	9.00-11.00	9.00-12.50	10.00-13.50
		Cull-Com	6.50- 9.50	7.00- 9.00	6.00- 9.00	6.50-10.00
Vealers:	(Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	12.00-13.50	10.50-15.00	9.50-12.50	10.00-14.00
		Medium	9.50-12.00	9.00- 10.50	8.00- 9.50	9.50-10.00
		Cull-Com	6.00- 9.50	7.00- 9.00	6.00- 8.00	6.00- 9.50
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
Steers:	(800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	12.50-13.25	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.50
		Com-Med	8.50-11.50	9.75-12.50	9.25-11.75	8.75-12.00
Steers:	(800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	12.25-13.25	11.75-14.25	12.25-14.25
		Com-Med	8.00-11.50	9.75-12.50	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.25
Heifers:		Gd-Ch	10.50-11.50	10.50-12.00	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		Com-Med	8.00-10.50	9.00-10.50	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
Cows:		Gd-Ch	8.25- 9.25	9.00- 9.50	8.00- 9.00	8.00- 9.00
		Com-Med	7.00- 8.25	8.25- 9.00	7.00- 8.00	6.75- 8.00
Calves:	(Steers)	Gd-Ch	----------	----------	12.25-14.75	11.75-14.25
		Medium	----------	----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:- ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.						
Spring Lambs:		Gd-Ch	15.00-16.00	15.75-16.75	14.75-16.00	15.00-15.75
		Medium	14.00-15.00	14.75-15.75	13.50-14.75	14.00-15.00
		Cull-Com	11.00-14.00	12.50-14.75	10.25-13.50	12.50-14.00
Lambs:	(84# dn)	Gd-Ch	12.50-13.25	12.60-13.50	11.75-12.65	12.50-12.90
	(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	12.25-13.25	12.35-13.25	11.65-12.50	12.25-12.90
	(92# dn)	Medium	11.00-12.50	11.50-12.60	10.75-11.75	11.50-12.50
	(92-100#)	Med-Ch	11.00-13.00	11.25-13.10	10.50-12.40	11.50-12.75
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	8.25-11.00	8.50-11.50	8.00-10.75	9.00-11.50
Yearling Wethers	(110#dn)	Med-Ch	8.50-11.75	8.50-12.00	8.00-10.50	8.25-11.50
Ewes:	(120# dn)	Med-Ch	4.75- 6.00	5.75- 7.50	4.50- 6.00	5.50- 6.25
	(120-150#)	Med-Ch	4.75- 6.00	5.75- 7.25	4.25- 5.75	5.50- 6.00
	(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	1.50- 4.75	2.50- 5.75	1.50- 4.50	1.50- 5.50

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	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	** 800	** 700	11,000	750
CHICAGO	2,000	1,000	18,000	8,000
KANSAS CITY	500	100	5,500	1,000
OMAHA	600	50	12,000	7,000
ST. JOSEPH	400	100	4,000	4,000
ST. PAUL	2,000	1,500	7,000	500
SIOUX CITY	1,000	100	10,000	1,500
CINCINNATI	350	525	3,200	800
INDIANAPOLIS	400	600	6,000	200
PITTSBURGH	- -	125	1,950	500
BUFFALO	225	125	1,680	900
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	8,275	5,525	80,330	25,150
ONE WEEK AGO	8,225	6,225	69,180	35,500
ONE YEAR AGO	9,175	5,825	97,960	17,400
TO DATE THIS WEEK	137,225	51,250	480,840	213,525
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	139,625	55,675	437,920	253,375
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	148,590	54,900	525,220	142,950

**RUN INCLUDES 400 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 1,500 THROUGH; CHICAGO 9,000; KANSAS CITY 800; OMAHA 1,300; ST. JOSEPH 150; SIOUX CITY 700; ST. PAUL 180.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-THURSDAY-MAY 23, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	1,266	1,321	12,101	2,114
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	835	717	5,199	805
PACKER PURCHASES	945	861	8,298	1,370

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-FRIDAY-MAY 24, 1929.
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 PM)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 800 TODAY, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 1,001 LAST FRIDAY, AND A TOTAL OF 500 FOR THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR. WITH A PART OF THE MEAGER ESTIMATED RECEIPTS IN ON THROUGH BILLING, THE SALABLE SUPPLY, AS YESTERDAY, LEFT VERY LITTLE TO FURNISH A BASIS ON WHICH TO QUOTE MARKET CONDITIONS. A LOAD OF COMMON TEXAS STEERS, NOT VERY DESIRABLE FROM THE KILLERS' STANDPOINT CONSTITUTED THE STEER SUPPLY IN THE MAIN. ONLY INDIVIDUALS AND A FEW VERY SMALL LOTS OF OTHER CLASSES WERE PRESENT, IT BEING THE GENERAL FRIDAY CLEAN UP TRADE ON SUCH KINDS AT ABOUT STEADY PRICES. VEALER PRICES WERE STABILIZED AT THE SAME PRICES WHICH RULED THE MARKET YESTERDAY.

THE LOAD OF LIGHTWEIGHT TEXAS STEERS CASHED AT $10.75, WITH A FEW LOTS OF OTHERS UPWARD TO $13.00. A FEW MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS WERE FOUND BETWEEN THE $11.50 AND $13.50 LIMITS, SOME INDIVIDUALS REACHING $14.00. MOST COWS WERE CONFINED TO A SPREAD OF $8.75 TO $10.50, LOW CUTTERS LARGELY $5.50 TO $6.75. THE BULL MARKET WAS ON A CATCHY BASIS, MOSTLY DOWNWARD FROM $9.50 ON SAUSAGE KINDS. GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WENT LARGELY TO SHIPPERS AT $13.50.

THERE WAS LITTLE INTEREST AND ENTHUSIASM TO THE STOCKER AND FEEDER TRADE ON COUNTRY ACCOUNT DURING THE PAST WEEK. AS A RESULT STEERS ARE MOSTLY 25¢ LOWER, WHILE STOCK COWS AND HEIFERS ARE 25 TO IN SPOTS 50¢ LOWER THAN A WEEK AGO. PRACTICALLY ALL OF THE STEERS GOING BACK FOR FURTHER FINISH WERE LIGHWEIGHTS, KINDS AVERAGING UNDER 800-LBS., AND RANGED IN PRICE FROM $9.25 TO $13.25, WITH THE BULK $10.00 TO $12.70. MOST COWS CLEARED AT $8.00 TO $8.50, AND HEIFERS $9.50 TO $10.50.

HOGS: SHIPPERS DOMINATED THE HOG MARKET TODAY, THESE INTERESTS BUYING PRACTICALLY ALL OFFERINGS EXCEPT A FEW SCATTERED LOADS TO BUTCHERS AND PACKERS. DEMAND CENTERED ON LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT HOGS, THESE SELLING AT AN ADVANCE OF 15 TO 25¢, PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS BEING SCARCE AND SHARING THE UPTURN. WEIGHTY HOGS AND PACKING SOWS WERE IN NARROW DEMAND AND ADVANCED ABOUT 10¢. CLOSING TRADE WAS RATHER SLOW BUT AFTER SHIPPING ORDERS WERE FILLED INSUFFICIENT NUMBERS WERE LEFT ON WHICH TO QUOTE A CHANGE. LOCAL RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 11,000 HEAD INCLUDING 1,500 BILLED THROUGH COMPARED WITH 14,130 LAST FRIDAY AND 12,732 CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

TOP PRICE ROSE TO $11.20 FOR THE FIRST TIME THIS WEEK, SEVERAL LOADS OF CHOICE 180 TO 200-LB. DESCRIPTIONS EARNING THIS FIGURE. BULK OF 160 TO 220-LB. HOGS CASHED AT $11.10 AND $11.15 WITH SEVERAL LOADS OF 230 TO 240-LB. KINDS AT $11.00 TO $11.05 AND A FEW LESS DESIRABLE KINDS DOWN TO $10.95. NEAR THE CLOSE SEVERAL LOADS OF 260 TO 290-LB. BUTCHERS REALIZED $10.80 TO $10.90 WITH NO WEIGHTIER BUTCHERS OFFERED. MOST 130 TO 150-LB. LIGHT LIGHTS CLEARED AT $10.50 TO $11.00. MAJORITY OF PIGS SCALING 130 POUNDS AND DOWN MOVED AT $10.00 TO $10.50 WITH LOWER GRADE MATERIAL DOWN TO AROUND $9.50. BULK OF PACKING SOWS CASHED AT $9.65 TO $9.75, FORMER PRICE BEING MORE POPULAR.

SHEEP: SUPPLIES WERE LIGHT IN THE SHEEP HOUSE TODAY, ESTIMATES CALLING FOR 750 HEAD COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 1,941 LAST FRIDAY AND 1,519 SAME DAY A YEAR AGO. DEMAND WAS BROAD ENOUGH TO ABSORB ALL OFFERINGS AND THE GENERAL MARKET ON ALL CLASSES RULED STEADY TO STRONG, A FEW LOTS OF CHOICE SPRING LAMBS GOING TO CITY BUTCHERS AT A STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER DEAL. BULK OF SPRING LAMBS SOLD ON ACCOUNT OF PACKERS AT $15.50 TO $15.75 WITH CITY BUTCHERS PURCHASING SMALL LOTS OF CHOICE GRADE AT $16.00 AND UPWARD TO $16.25. A LOAD OF CULL AND COMMON SPRING LAMBS SOLD AT $11.50 FOR THE CULL END, THE OTHERS REALIZING $13.50. ONE DECK OF 83-LB. GOOD CLIPPED LAMBS EARNED $12.85, NO CHOICE CLIPPERS BEING OFFERED. CULL CLIPPED LAMBS ARE SALABLE AROUND $8.50 TO $10.00. BULK OF FAT EWES CLEARED AT $5.00 TO $6.00, ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY.

OMAHA MARKET-11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: GENERALLY STEADY; FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.75-13.60; YEARLINGS $14.00; SMALL LOTS HEIFERS $11.50-12.50; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00-10.50; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.75-8.00; ODD HEAD BULLS $9.00-9.25; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $13.00; FEW UP TO $14.00 WITH CHOICE LOTS TO INDEPENDENTS $14.50.

HOGS: MEDIUM AND LIGHT HOGS ACTIVE, MOSTLY 15¢ HIGHER; HEAVIER WEIGHTS SLOW, STEADY TO 10¢ HIGHER; TOP $10.80 ON 200-210#; BULK 190-250# $10.50-10.75; BULK 250-320# $10.25-10.60; FEW BIG WEIGHTS DOWNWARD TO $10.10; ODD LOTS 140-190# SELECTIONS $9.75-10.65; PACKING SOWS $9.40-9.60; SMOOTH GRADES UP TO $9.75; STAGS UP TO $10.00; FEEDER PIGS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER, MOSTLY $9.00-10.00.

SHEEP: SPRING LAMBS 25-50¢ HIGHER; FED WOOLED AND CLIPPED LAMBS AND OTHER CLASSES STEADY; CHOICE CALIF. SPRING LAMBS $16.00-16.25; LATTER PRICE SHIPPER TOP PAID FOR 1 LOAD, AV. 77#; MEDIUM GRADE CALIF. $14.00-14.50; FED WOOLED LAMBS $13.75; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $12.35-12.75; SHORN EWES $6.25 DOWN; CALIF. FEEDING LAMBS $13.00-13.25.

STOCKER AND FEEDER SHIPMENTS FROM 12 MARKETS

	MAY 11 - MAY 17 1929	MAY 4 - MAY 10 1929	MAY 12 - MAY 18 1928	PER CENT INCREASE OR DECREASE COMPARED CORR'D'G. PERIOD 1926-27-28.
CATTLE AND CALVES	46,577	41,701	37,021	32.4 INCREASE
HOGS	7,554	9,243	10,584	34.7 DECREASE
SHEEP	26,057	22,319	26,166	14.8 INCREASE

NOTE: - THIS OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED DECORATION DAY, MAY 30. STOCK ARRIVING ON THAT DAY WILL BE CARED FOR AS USUAL.

5-24-29ACA1:17 P.M.

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-: DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, FRIDAY, MAY 24, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- STEER AND YEARLING TRADE STRONG TO UNEVENLY HIGHER; NOT MUCH HERE; MEDIUM TO GOOD GRADES PREDOMINATING; MIXED YEARLINGS $14.40; BEST WEIGHTY STEERS $13.85; BULK SALES $12.75 TO $13.75; STOCKERS SCARCE, COUNTRY DEMAND NARROW; UNDERTONE WEAK; COMMON AND MEDIUM GRADE FAT COWS AND CUTTERS GETTING SOME ACTION, FULLY STEADY; BETTER GRADES WITH WEIGHT SLOW, BUT STEADY; BULLS STEADY AND VEALERS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER, LIGHT KINDS TURNING AT $11.00 TO $12.50 AND BETTER GRADES WITH WEIGHT $13.50 TO $14.50, MOSTLY, SELECTED OFFERINGS AROUND $15.00.

HOGS:- FAIRLY ACTIVE TO SHIPPERS AND SMALL PACKERS; 15 TO 25¢ HIGHER AND EARLY CLEARANCE AT ADVANCE; TOP $11.30 PAID FOR A LOAD OF AROUND 200-LB. WEIGHTS; BULK OF BETTER GRADE 160 TO 230-LB. WEIGHTS $11.10 TO $11.25; 240 TO 290-LB. AVERAGES $10.85 TO $11.10; AROUND 320-LB. AVERAGES AT $10.75 AND 400-LB. WEIGHTS $10.60; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 130 TO 150-LB. WEIGHTS $10.50 TO $11.00; PIGS MOSTLY $9.75 TO $10.50; BULK PACKING SOWS $9.75 TO $10.00, SMOOTH LIGHT WEIGHT UP TO $10.25 AND ABOVE.

SHEEP:- OPENING RATHER SLOW, MOSTLY STEADY; SEVERAL LOADS GOOD TO CHOICE 84 TO 90-LB. WOOLED LAMBS $15.00; CHOICE 88-LB. LOAD TO OUTSIDER $15.25; CHOICE 90-LB. SHORN LAMBS $13.25, SCATTERING THROWOUTS $9.00 TO $10.00, FEW NATIVE SPRINGERS $15.50 TO $16.50, THROWOUTS $13.00 TO $13.50; FEW FAT EWES STEADY AT $7.00 DOWN; FEEDING LAMBS NOMINAL.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- KILLING CLASSES CATTLE NOMINALLY STEADY; VEALERS AND CALVES STEADY; VEALERS MOSTLY $12.00 DOWN, FEW $13.00; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS UNCHANGED; FOUR LOADS YEARLING STOCKERS $13.00.

HOGS:- ACTIVE, 15 TO 20¢ HIGHER THAN THURSDAY'S AVERAGE; STOCK PIGS 10 TO 15¢ HIGHER; TOP $10.90 ON 190 TO 210-LB. WEIGHTS; BULK DESIRABLE 170 TO 250-LBS. $10.70 TO $10.85; 260 TO 325-LB. BUTCHERS $10.50 TO $10.70; 140 TO 160-LBS. $10.35 TO $10.75; PACKING SOWS $9.00 TO $9.65; STOCK PIGS $9.75 TO $10.65.

SHEEP:- SHORN LAMBS STEADY TO STRONG; LIMITED OFFERINGS NATIVE SPRINGERS ABOUT STEADY; NO CHOICE NATIVES ON SALE; MOST NATIVE SPRING LAMBS $13.50 TO $14.25; BEST SHORN OFFERINGS $12.70.

HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$10.70-11.00	$10.60-11.15	$10.25-10.80	$ 9.90-10.65
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	10.75-11.20	10.75-11.30	10.55-10.90	10.25-10.80
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	10.75-11.20	10.25-11.30	10.50-10.90	9.85-10.80
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.25-11.10	10.00-11.25	10.10-10.75	9.50-10.60
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.30- 9.80	9.50-10.25	8.75- 9.75	9.15- 9.75
SLAUGHTER PIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	9.50-10.50	9.65-10.90	9.50-10.75	----------
FDR & STKR. PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	9.25-10.50	----------	9.50-10.75	8.75-10.00
AV. COST & WT. THURS. (PIGS EXC)			10.78-203#	10.77-237#	10.43-228#	10.29-255#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	----------	13.00-14.60	----------	----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.25-14.25	14.25-14.90	13.40-14.25	13.50-14.25
		GOOD	12.75-13.25	13.25-14.25	12.50-13.25	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.25-14.50	14.35-15.00	13.40-14.25	13.50-14.50
		GOOD	12.75-13.50	13.50-14.35	12.75-13.65	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.75	14.50-15.00	13.65-14.50	13.75-14.60
		GOOD	12.75-14.00	13.50-14.50	12.75-13.65	12.75-13.75
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	11.75-12.75	12.25-13.50	11.50-12.75	11.75-12.75
		COMMON	8.50-12.00	11.00-12.50	9.50-11.50	9.50-11.75
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	13.75-14.75	14.50-15.00	13.65-14.50	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	12.75-14.00	13.50-14.50	12.75-13.65	12.75-13.75
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	13.25-14.25	14.00-14.75	12.75-14.00	13.00-14.00
		GOOD	12.00-13.25	13.00-14.00	11.75-13.00	11.75-13.00
		COM-MED	8.50-12.00	9.50-13.00	8.75-12.00	8.75-11.75
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	11.50-13.50	12.50-14.50	11.75-13.50	11.50-13.50
		GOOD	10.75-12.75	11.50-14.00	10.75-12.75	10.75-12.75
		MEDIUM	9.25-11.75	10.00-13.00	9.25-11.75	9.00-12.00
COWS:		CHOICE	10.75-11.75	11.25-12.00	10.75-12.00	11.00-12.00
		GOOD	9.75-10.75	9.75-11.50	9.50-10.75	9.50-11.00
		COM-MED	8.25- 9.75	8.00-10.00	7.75- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
		LOW CUT-CUT	5.00- 8.25	6.50- 8.00	6.00- 7.75	6.25- 8.25
BULLS: (YLG. EXC. BEEF.)		GD-CH	9.50-10.75	10.25-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		CUT-MED	7.00- 9.50	8.00-10.40	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	9.50-13.00	9.25-11.75	9.00-12.50	10.00-13.50
		CULL-COM	6.50- 9.50	7.00- 9.25	6.00- 9.00	6.50-10.00
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	12.00-13.50	11.00-15.00	9.50-12.50	10.50-14.50
		MEDIUM	9.50-12.00	9.50-11.00	8.00- 9.50	9.50-10.50
		CULL-COM	6.00- 9.50	7.00- 9.50	6.00- 8.00	6.00- 9.50
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	12.25-13.25	11.75-13.00	12.00-13.50
		COM-MED	8.50-11.50	9.75-12.25	9.25-11.75	9.75-12.00
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	12.25-13.25	11.75-14.25	12.25-14.25
		COM-MED	8.00-11.50	9.75-12.25	9.00-11.75	9.50-12.25
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	10.50-11.50	10.50-12.00	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		COM-MED	8.00-10.50	9.00-10.50	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
COWS:		GD-CH	8.25- 9.25	9.00- 9.50	8.00- 9.00	8.00- 9.00
		COM-MED	7.00- 8.25	8.25- 9.00	7.00- 8.00	6.75- 8.00
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	----------	----------	12.25-14.75	11.75-14.25
		MEDIUM	----------	----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	15.25-16.25	15.75-16.85	14.75-16.00	15.25-16.25
		MEDIUM	14.00-15.25	14.75-15.75	13.50-14.75	14.25-15.25
		CULL-COM	11.00-14.00	12.50-14.75	10.25-13.50	12.75-14.25
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	12.50-13.25	12.60-13.50	11.75-12.75	12.50-12.90
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	12.25-13.25	12.35-13.25	11.65-12.70	12.25-12.90
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	11.00-12.50	11.50-12.60	10.75-11.75	11.50-12.50
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	11.00-13.00	11.25-13.10	10.50-12.50	11.50-12.75
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	8.25-11.00	8.50-11.50	8.00-10.75	9.00-11.50
YEARLING WETHERS	(110# DN)	MED-CH	8.50-11.75	8.50-12.00	8.00-10.50	8.25-11.50
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	4.75- 6.00	5.75- 7.60	4.50- 6.00	5.50- 6.25
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	4.75- 6.00	5.75- 7.35	4.25- 5.75	5.50- 6.00
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	1.50- 4.75	2.50- 5.75	1.50- 4.50	1.50- 5.50

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SUMMARY OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-SATURDAY-MAY 25, 1929.

RECEIPTS

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NAT'L.STOCK YARDS (ESTIMATE)	** 100	** 25	2,500	- - -
NAT'L.STOCK YARDS TOTAL THIS WK.(APPRO.)	12,200	8,450	78,250	9,650
NAT'L.STOCK YARDS TOTAL LAST WEEK	11,101	8,227	74,251	10,347
NAT'L.STOCK YARDS TOTAL SAME WK.LAST YR.	10,056	9,436	78,595	8,690
11 MARKET TOTAL THIS WEEK	139,675	52,275	515,715	226,775
11 MARKET TOTAL LAST WEEK	141,525	56,575	467,820	269,375
11 MARKET TOTAL SAME WEEK LAST YEAR	150,965	56,360	568,730	153,445

**RUN INCLUDES NO CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 1,000 THROUGH; CHICAGO 4,500; KANSAS CITY 800; OMAHA 2,000; ST. JOSEPH 100; SIOUX CITY 600; ST. PAUL 160.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-FRIDAY-MAY 24, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	753	450	10,769	672
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	677	387	10,373	- -
PACKER PURCHASES	528	258	1,271	958

LIVESTOCK MARKET QUOTATIONS AND CONDITIONS-SATURDAY-MAY 25, 1929.

HOGS: (SOFT OR OILY HOGS & ROASTING PIGS EXC)	CLOSE NAT'L.STK.YDS.	10:30 A. M. CHICAGO	11:00 A.M. KANSAS CITY	11:00 A.M. OMAHA
HVY.WT. (250-350#) MED-CH	$10.80-11.15	$10.60-11.15	$10.25-10.80	$ 9.90-10.70
MED.WT. (200-250#) MED-CH	10.90-11.25	10.75-11.35	10.50-10.85	10.25-10.85
LT. WT. (160-200#) MED-CH	10.75-11.35	10.25-11.35	10.50-10.85	9.85-10.85
LT.LTS. (130-160#) MED-CH	10.25-11.20	10.00-11.25	10.10-10.75	9.50-10.60
PACKING SOWS ROUGH & SMOOTH	9.30- 9.80	9.50-10.25	8.75- 9.75	9.00- 9.75
SLTR PIGS (90-130#) MED-CH	9.50-10.50	9.65-10.90	9.50-10.75	----------
FDR & STK PIGS 70-130# MED-CH	9.25-10.50	----------	9.50-10.75	8.75-10.00
AV. COST & WT. FRI. (PIGS EXC)	10.87-204#	10.95-232#	10.65-232#	10.39-261#

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-SATURDAY-MAY 25, 1929.
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 10:30 A.M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE FOR THE PAST WEEK APPROXIMATED 12,200 HEAD, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 11,101 FOR THE PREVIOUS WEEK, AND A TOTAL OF 10,056 FOR THE CORRESPONDING WEEK A YEAR EARLIER.

INCREASED SUPPLIES OF CATTLE UP TO MID-WEEK AFFORDED BUYERS WITH THE UPPER-HAND IN DEPRESSING VALUES ON THE HOOF AGAIN DURING THE PAST WEEK. STEERS, MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS PREDOMINATED THE RUN, AND IN THE CASE OF THE LATTER CLASSES NO DOUBT FEEDERS WERE PROMPTED TO UNLOAD IN ORDER TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE HIGH PRICES WHICH RULED THE PREVIOUS WEEK. BETTER GRADES OF STEERS OF ALL WEIGHTS HELD UP FAIRLY WELL, BUT MEDIUM KINDS, AS WELL AS MIXED YOUNGSTERS AND HEIFERS, RECEIVED A SHARP SETBACK. MONDAY'S LIBERAL SUPPLY OF STEERS INCLUDED NUMEROUS LOADS OF FED NEBRASKAS OF QUALITY AND CONDITION WELL ABOVE THE AVERAGE, AND IN GENERAL STRAIGHT THROUGH ON OTHER DAYS THE CONDITION WAS SHOWING IMPROVEMENT. MOST OF THE HEIFERS AND MIXED MATERIAL WERE SUFFICIENTLY WELL FINISHED TO GRADE GOOD AND CHOICE, STRAIGHT LOAD LOTS OF HEIFERS BEING FAIRLY NUMEROUS. BETTER GRADE COWS WERE ALSO UNDER THE HAMMER FOR CONSIDERABLE PRICE HAMMERING, AND ALSO LOWER GRADE KINDS SHOWING ANY SIGNS OF A GRASS DIET, WHILE CUTTERS HELD UP QUITE WELL AND LOW CUTTERS WERE STEADY. ALL BULLS TOOK LOSSES IN VALUE, BUT INBETWEEN AND LOWER GRADE SAUSAGE BULLS AND HEAVY BUTCHER KINDS SUFFERED THE MOST LOSS. VEALER PRICES FLUCTUATED BUT ARE CLOSING STEADY WITH A WEEK AGO AT THE LOWEST LEVEL SINCE LAST JULY.

COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO, BETTER GRADE STEERS ARE SELLING 15 TO 25¢ LOWER, MEDIUM KINDS MOSTLY 50¢ LOWER; MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS 50 TO 75¢ LOWER; COWS AND BULLS 25 TO 50¢ LOWER; CUTTERS STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER; LOW CUTTERS AND VEALERS STEADY; STOCKER AND FEEDER STEERS MOSTLY 25¢ LOWER; STOCK COWS AND HEIFERS 25 TO IN SPOTS 50¢ LOWER. TOPS FOR WEEK: 545-LB. HEIFERS $14.75; 948-LB. YEARLING STEERS $14.35; 1111-LB. STEERS $14.20. BULKS FOR WEEK: STEERS $11.40 TO $14.00; FAT MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS $13.25 TO $14.00; MEDIUM KINDS $11.75 TO $12.75; COWS $8.75 TO $10.25; LOW CUTTERS $5.75 TO $6.75; STOCKER AND FEEDER STEERS $10.00 TO $12.70; FEEDING COWS $8.00 TO $8.50; FEEDING HEIFERS $9.50 TO $10.50; TOP VEALERS AT CLOSE $13.50.

HOGS: SUPPLIES WERE LIGHT IN THE HOG HOUSE TODAY, THE ESTIMATE CALLING FOR BUT 2,500 HEAD INCLUDING 1,000 BILLED THROUGH. THE RUN LAST SATURDAY WAS 4,738 HEAD AND A YEAR AGO 4,345 WERE MARKETED. HARDLY ENOUGH WERE ON SALE TO REALLY MAKE A MARKET BUT SUFFICIENT SHIPPING DEMAND AND LOCAL BUTCHER ORDERS WERE ON HAND TO TAKE ALL THE BETTER HOGS AT AN ADVANCE OF FULLY 10 TO 15¢. WEIGHTY HOGS WERE PRACTICALLY LACKING AND PIGS AND PACKING SOWS WERE QUOTED STEADY. THE WEEK'S RECEIPTS WERE HEAVIER THAN HAS BEEN THE CASE FOR SOME TIME AND THE AVERAGE FOR THE WEEK WAS ABOUT THE LOWEST THIS SPRING THOUGH COMPARED WITH LAST SATURDAY, TODAY'S PRICES ARE 25 TO 35¢ HIGHER.

TOP PRICE WAS $11.35 PAID FOR A SHORT LOAD OF CHOICE AROUND 190-LB. WEIGHTS, AN OCCASIONAL LOAD OF DESIRABLE 190 TO 200-LB. KINDS EARNING $11.30. BULK OF HOGS SOLD WITH 160 TO 220-LB. WEIGHTS MIXED AT $11.25, AN OCCASIONAL LOAD EARNING $11.20 AND A FEW BUNCHES OF WEIGHTIER DESCRIPTIONS, 230 TO 250-LBS., AT $11.15. DESIRABLE 130 TO 150-LB. LIGHT LIGHTS ARE QUOTABLE AT $10.50 TO $11.00 AND PIGS SCALING 130-LBS. DOWN AT $10.00 TO $10.50. MOST OF THE ODD LOTS OF PACKING SOWS CASHED AT $9.65 TO $9.75.

SHEEP: RECEIPTS OF SHEEP AND LAMBS THIS WEEK TOTALED AROUND 9,600 HEAD COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 10,347 LAST WEEK AND 8,690 CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR. TOTAL AT ELEVEN MARKETS WAS ABOUT SIXTEEN PER CENT LESS THAN LAST WEEK.

FOLLOWING LAST WEEK'S RATHER SHARP PRICE DECLINE ALL CLASSES HELD ON ABOUT A STEADY DEAL FOR SOME TIME AND BETTER GRADES OF LAMBS AND ALL SHEEP ARE QUOTABLE STEADY WITH LAST WEEK'S CLOSE. LOWER GRADES, HOWEVER, WERE MORE NUMEROUS AND SAGGED ANOTHER 25¢. THE WEEK'S CLOSING ROUNDS WERE ACTIVE AND STRONG AT THE DECLINE.

PRACTICAL TOP ON SPRING LAMBS WAS $16.00 THOUGH CITY BUTCHERS TOOK A FEW LOTS OF CHOICE DESCRIPTIONS AS HIGH AS $16.25. PACKERS BOUGHT MOST OF THEIR SUPPLIES THROUGHOUT THE WEEK AT $15.50 TO $15.75 WITH MEDIUM GRADES AT $14.00 TO $15.00 AND CULLS $11.00 TO $12.00. TWO DECKS OF NEAR CHOICE SHORN LAMBS MADE $13.25 WITH BULK OF QUALITY TO SELL AT $12.50 TO $13.00. COMMON AND MEDIUM GRADES SOLD IN SIZABLE LOTS AT $10.00 TO $12.00 WITH CULLS MOSTLY $8.50 TO $9.50. HARDLY ENOUGH YEARLINGS OR AGED WETHERS WERE OFFERED TO QUOTE. A FEW MEDIUM GRADE YEARLINGS EARNED $10.50 WITH SOME BETTER GRADES CARRYING AN END OF LAMBS SELLING STRAIGHT AT $11.75. A FEW TWO YEAR OLD WETHERS EARNED $8.50 TO $9.00 AND OLD WETHERS SOLD DOWN TO $6.50. MOST OF THE SHORN EWES CLEARED AT $5.00 TO $6.00.

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10:45 A.M.

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Telegraphic Reports from Other Markets.

Saturday, May 25, 1929.

Chicago Market 10:30 A. M.

Cattle:- Fed steers and yearlings closed fully steady; heavy fat cows weak, light kinds strong; common fat cows and cutters 25 to 40¢ higher; bulls 15 to 25¢ higher; vealers 50¢ to $1.00 up; better grade stockers steady, others and all feeders slow, dull; extreme top steers and yearlings $1[illegible].[illegible]5; bulk killers steers $13.00 to $14.25; best light heifers $14.60, liberal supply $13.50 to $14.25; too many 1500 to 1700-lb. long fed steers in run.

Hogs:- Hardly enough hogs on sale to establish market; limited trading strong, spots 5¢ to 10¢ higher in comparison with Friday's average; top $11.35 paid for two loads of around 200-lb. weights; odd lots and a few loads of better grade 160 to 240-lb. averages $11.10 to $11.25; odd lots of medium quality hogs of the same weight down to $10.75; a few loads of choice 290 to 320-lb. averages from $10.85 to $11.00, sorts of medium quality down to $10.50; odd lots of desirable 140 to 150-lb. weights $10.85 to $11.15; very few sales of pigs or packing sows; shippers took 500; estimated holdover 1,500.

Sheep:- For week: 123 doubles from feeding stations; 35,500 directs; continued liberal receipts with fed lambs predominating prevented price improvement; dressed lamb prices receded on slow market; compared with week ago: fed and spring lambs weak to 25¢ lower; fat ewes strong to 25¢ higher; tops for week: wooled lambs $15.25; shorn $13.50; springers $16.75; fat ewes $7.50; bulks for week: wooled lambs $14.75 to $15.00, shorn $12.75 to $13.00; California springers $16.25 to $16.50, natives $15.50 to $16.50; ~~fat ewes $6.00 to $7.25;~~ feeding lambs steady; California springers mostly $12.50 to $13.50.

St. Paul Market 11:00 A.M.

Cattle:- Compared week ago: fed steers and yearlings and fat she stock closing strong to 15 to 25¢ higher after regaining early 10 to 25¢ downturn; cutters and bulls unchanged; stockers and feeders uneven, desirable light weights steady, others draggy on hit or miss market; vealers 50¢ to $1.00 higher; week's prices: top yearlings $14.00, medium and heavy weights $13.90; bulk all weights $12.50 to $13.75; beef cows $8.50 to $10.00; heifers $10.25 to $11.50; cutters $6.50 to $7.50; bulls $9.00 to $9.50; desirable stockers $10.50 to $11.50, common kinds to $10.00; vealers at close largely $12.50 to $13.00.

Hogs:- Steady with Friday's general trade; bulk desirable 160-ls. to around 240-lb. butchers $10.75 to $10.85; top $10.85; weightier butchers largely $10.50, few $10.25 or below; light lights $10.75; pigs $11.00; packing sows mostly $9.25 to $9.50.

Sheep:- Compared week ago: shorn lambs and springers 25¢ lower; sheep steady; top shorn lambs at close $12.75; springers $15.50; shorn ewes $6.50; bulk shorn lambs $12.00 to $12.75; bulk shorn ewes $5.50 to $6.50; bulk desirable spring lambs $15.50.

Kansas City Market 11:00 A. M.

Cattle:- Compared with a week ago: yearlings 25 to 50¢ lower; lighter weights of fed steers 15 to 25¢ lower; matured steers 1200-lb. up fully steady; slaughter cows steady to 25¢ lower; decline on the inbetween grades; bulls steady to weak; vealers mostly 50¢ lower; calves steady to 50¢ lower; stockers steady to 25¢ higher; feeders scarce, barely steady; week's tops: yearling steers $14.50; mixed yearlings $14.35; matured steers $14.25; bulk prices: fed steers and yearlings $12.25 to $13.75; several loads around $14.00; butcher cows $8.50 to $10.50; good to choice vealers $10.00 to $12.00, very few $12.50 to $13.00; stockers and feeders $11.50 to $13.25; few light stockers upward to $14.00.

Hogs:- Mostly steady to weak with Friday's average; spots 10¢ lower on strong weight butchers; top $10.85 on 190 to 230-lbs.; bulk desirable 180 to 250-lbs. $10.70 to $10.85; few 260 to 325-lbs. $10.50 to $10.65; odd packing sows $9.00 to $9.50.

Sheep:- Spring lambs steady to 25¢ lower; sheep and fed lambs 15 to 25¢ off; top Arizona spring lambs $16.00, most sales $15.50 to $15.85; top shorn lambs $13.00, late sales $12.25 to $12.70; woolskins $13.60 to $13.75; two-year-old wethers $8.00 to $8.40; aged wethers mostly $6.75 to $7.00; top ewes $6.00.

Omaha Market 11:00 A. M.

Cattle:- Compared with week ago: fed steers and yearlings and she stock steady to 25¢ higher, better grades showing upturn; bulls and veals steady; stockers and feeders mostly steady; bulks for week: fed steers and yearlings $12.50 to $14.00; weighty steers $14.00; light steers $14.40; heifers $11.75 to $13.75; beef cows $9.00 to $11.00, few up to $12.00; all cutters $6.75 to $8.00; medium bulls $9.00 to $9.75; practical top veals $13.00, selected lots to independents $14.00 to $14.50; stockers and feeders $11.50 to $12.50; light yearlings up to $14.00.

Hogs:- Steady to 10¢ higher; big/ [weight] butchers close dull; top $10.85 on 200 to 210-lb. butchers; bulk better grade 190 to 240-lb. weights $10.60 to $10.80; bulk 240 to 300-lb. butchers $10.35 to $10.65; bulk 300 to 400-lb. weights $10.00 to $10.40; odd lots 140 to 190-lb. selections $9.75 to $10.75; packing sows $9.25 to $9.60.

Sheep:- Compared with week ago: **slaughter** lambs uneven; sprng lambs 25 to 50¢ higher; fed wooled and clipped lambs 25¢ lower; sheep and feeders steady; closing bulks follow: California spring lambs $15.50 to $16.00, top $16.25; fed wooled lambs $13.75 to $14.00; fed clipped lambs $12.35 to $12.75; shorn ewes $5.50 to $6.25; California feeding lambs $13.00 to $13.25.

Fort Worth Market 11:00 A. M.

Cattle:- For week: slaughter steers mostly 25¢ higher; slaughter yearlings steady to strong; better grades fat cows around 15 to 25¢ higher; butcher cows and all cutters fully steady; bulls firm; desirable heavy slaughter calves and vealers about 25¢ higher, plain heavies and cull sorts about 25¢ lower; better grades stock yearlings strong to 25¢ higher, others slow, unchanged; week's tops: fed steers $14.40; practical top fat grassers $11.00; fed yearlings $14.50; carlot top fat cows $11.00; heavy slaughter calves $11.50; choice light weight veals $14.00; stock steer yearlings $13.35; bulks: grass slaughter steers $9.75 to $11.00; slaughter yearlings $12.50 to $14.25; fat cows $8.50 to $9.25; butcher grades $7.00 to $7.75; cutters and low cutters $5.00 to $6.00; sausage bulls $6.50 to $8.50; heavy slaughter calves $10.50 to $11.00, cull sorts $6.75 to $7.50; stock steers and yearlings $10.50 to $12.50.

Sheep:- For the week: killing classes steady; feeder grades scarce; good fat lambs up to $14.00; other sales fat lambs $11.50 to $13.50; good grain fed shorn yearlings $11.00 to $11.50; grass fat yearlings $10.00 to $10.75; better grades two-year-old fat wethers $8.25 to $8.50; bulk aged fat wethers $7.00 and $7.25; few aged fat wethers $7.35.

-Hogs slaughtered under federal meat inspection-

Weeks ending Friday, May 24, 1929 and May 25, 1928.

	1929	1928
Chicago, Ill.	112,379	109,620
Indianapolis, Ind.	19,286	18,456
Kansas City, Kan	77,186	83,331
National Stock Yards, Ill., and St. Louis, Mo.	66,716	61,907
New York, N. Y. and Jersey City, N. J.	29,715	33,056
Omaha, Nebr.	51,487	44,755
Sioux City, Iowa.	31,873	34,771
South St. Joseph, Mo.	28,556	29,975
South St. Paul, Minn.	37,980	36,468

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DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-MONDAY-MAY 27, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**2,800	**2,000	15,000	3,000
CHICAGO	19,000	3,000	65,000	15,000
KANSAS CITY	8,000	1,200	14,000	9,000
OMAHA	9,000	500	19,000	11,000
ST. JOSEPH	2,400	400	8,000	7,000
ST. PAUL	4,000	2,500	12,000	800
SIOUX CITY	3,000	400	8,500	2,500
CINCINNATI	750	300	3,000	125
INDIANAPOLIS	400	500	5,000	300
PITTSBURGH	750	1,150	4,500	2,200
BUFFALO	1,400	1,500	8,500	5,600
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	51,500	13,450	162,500	56,525
ONE WEEK AGO	52,075	16,425	122,980	62,875
ONE YEAR AGO	50,350	16,950	165,650	37,800

**RUN INCLUDES 400 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 1,000 THROUGH AND 1,000 DIRECT; CHICAGO 34,000; KANSAS CITY 2,300; OMAHA 3,300; ST. JOSEPH 2,600; SIOUX CITY 1,000; ST. PAUL 1,200.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-SATURDAY-MAY 25, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	98	20	3,242	17
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	301	52	3,178	--
PACKER PURCHASES	21	13	991	--

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-MONDAY-MAY 27, 1929.

(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P.M)

CATTLE: EARLY MORNING ESTIMATES PLACED RECEIPTS OF CATTLE AT 2,800, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 3,278 ON THE OPENING DAY LAST WEEK, AND A TOTAL OF 4,019 BY ACTUAL COUNT THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

THE SALABLE SUPPLY OF STEERS, MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS WAS VERY SMALL HERE TODAY AND FROM ALL APPEARANCES ABOUT THE YARDS THE RUN WAS SOMEWHAT OVER ESTIMATED, TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION THE FEW LOADS IN ON THROUGH BILLING AND SOME WHICH HAD NOT ARRIVED AS YET AT THE NOON HOUR.

AS IS OFTEN THE CASE WHEN THE SUPPLIES ARE LIGHT AND THE YARDING DISTRIBUTED THROUGHOUT THE FORENOON, THE MARKET RULED UNEVENLY STEADY TO 25¢ HIGHER ON MOST KILLING CLASSES COMPARED WITH LAST WEEK. WATER-FILLS WERE LIBERAL TODAY ALSO, A FACTOR WHICH WORKED TO THE ADVANTAGE OF THE PRODUCER AND FINISHER. THE SMALL STEER OFFERING COMPRISED MOSTLY LIGHTWEIGHTS, LARGELY IN A MEDIUM AND GOOD FLESH CONDITION. MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS DID NOT MEET AS GOOD ACTION AS THE STEERS AND ON EARLY ROUNDS NOT ENOUGH OF THESE HAD CROSSED THE SCALES TO FURNISH A BASIS ON WHICH TO BASE QUOTATIONS. ALL INTERESTS WERE ON HAND FOR COWS AND ALTHOUGH THE GENERAL TRADE WAS ON A STEADY TO STRONG BASIS, THERE WERE SPOTS THAT APPEARED 25¢ HIGHER. CUTTERS AND LOW CUTTERS, AS WELL AS VEALERS, WERE UNCHANGED, BUT PRICES ON MEDIUM BULLS WERE ADVANCED 25¢, ESPECIALLY ON THE BETTER KINDS.

SEVERAL LOADS OF 1032 TO 1064-LB. STEERS WERE SUFFICIENTLY WELL FINISHED TO COMMAND THE $13.60 TERMS, AND A LOAD OF 1165-LB. WEIGHTS $12.90, WHILE COMMON KINDS WERE FOUND DOWNWARD TO $10.50. FAT MIXED YEARLINGS IN LOAD LOTS TURNED AT $12.75 TO $13.75, SOME SMALL LOTS OF LESS DESIRABLE MATERIAL DOWNWARD TO $11.75 OR BELOW. MOST COWS CLEARED AT $8.75 TO $10.50, LOW CUTTERS LARGELY $5.75 TO $6.75, SOME "SHELLY" KINDS AS LOW AS $5.00. A FEW MEDIUM BULLS REACHED A TOP OF $9.75, OTHERS DOWNWARD ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND CONDITION. GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WENT LARGELY TO SHIPPERS AT $13.50.

HOGS: RECEIPTS OF HOGS HERE AND ELSEWHERE TODAY WERE SUBSTANTIALLY HEAVIER THAN THOSE OF LAST MONDAY AND WITH AN INDIFFERENT TRADE REPORTED ON DRESSED PORK IN THE EAST, BUYING INTERESTS WERE ABLE TO CHEAPEN COSTS A LITTLE. SHIPPERS AND LOCAL BUTCHERS OPENED THE MARKET AT A DECLINE OF 20 TO 25¢. OUTSIDE ORDERS WERE FAIRLY LIBERAL AND WITH LOCAL RECEIPTS FALLING SHORT OF THE ESTIMATE, CLOSING ROUNDS SHOWED BETTER ACTION, AND PART OF THE LOSS WAS REGAINED, LATE TRADE BEING 10 TO 20¢ UNDER SATURDAY. ALL INTERESTS WERE OPERATING FREELY AT THE CLOSE BUT COMPARATIVELY FEW WERE LEFT FOR PACKERS. PIGS RULED MOSTLY STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER AND PACKING SOWS DECLINED ABOUT 10¢. RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 15,000 INCLUDING 2,000 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT COMPARED WITH 13,299 LAST MONDAY AND 17,796 A YEAR AGO. TOTAL AT ELEVEN MARKETS FIGURED NEARLY THIRTY-FIVE PER CENT MORE THAN A WEEK AGO.

TOP ON EARLY ROUNDS RESTED AT $11.10 WITH BULK OF 160 TO 260-LBS. AT $10.90 TO $11.05. AT THE CLOSE SEVERAL LOADS OF CHOICE LIGHT AND MEDIUMWEIGHT HOGS TOPPED AT $11.15 AND MOST 160 TO 230-LB. WEIGHTS CASHED AT $11.00 TO $11.10. BULK OF ALL 230 TO 260-LB. HOGS MOVED AT $10.90 TO $11.00, WEIGHTIER HOGS AT $10.85 AND DOWN TO $10.75 FOR 300-LB. BUTCHERS. MAJORITY OF 130 TO 150-LB. LIGHT LIGHTS REALIZED $10.50 TO $10.90, CHOICE ONE FIFTIES AT THE CLOSE UP TO $11.00. MOST 90 TO 130-LB. PIGS SCORED $9.75 TO $10.50 ACCORDING TO WEIGHT, LOWER GRADE LIGHT PIGS DOWN TO $9.50 AND UNDER. MOST PACKING SOWS EARNED $9.50 TO $9.60, SEVERAL LOTS LATE AT $9.65.

SHEEP: SHEEP AND LAMB RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 3,000 TODAY COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 2,348 LAST MONDAY AND 4,180 SAME DAY A YEAR AGO. SOME OF THE SUPPLIES WERE BILLED DIRECT BUT BULK WERE OFFERED FOR SALE. TRADE WAS RATHER SLOW AND BUYERS REDUCED COSTS ON CLIPPED LAMBS AND SPRINGERS AROUND 25¢, SOME OF THE LOWER GRADE LAMBS REFLECTING A 25 TO 50¢ LOSS. SHEEP WERE SCARCE AND HELD STEADY. CITY BUTCHERS PAID $15.75 FOR A LIBERAL SPRINKLING OF SPRING LAMBS, BULK OF SALES BEING MADE ON PACKER ACCOUNT AT $15.25 TO $15.50. A FEW SMALL LOTS OF STRICTLY CHOICE LAMBS SOLD UP TO $16.00 BUT THESE COULD HARDLY BE CONSIDERED AN INDICATION OF MARKET CONDITIONS. CULLS SETTLED MOSTLY AT $11.00, A FEW UP TO $11.50. CHOICE CLIPPED LAMBS WERE PRACTICALLY LACKING, BULK OF SUPPLIES SELLING TO PACKERS AT $12.25 TO $12.50, CULLS AROUND $8.00 TO $9.50. SHORN EWES CONTINUED TO MOVE READILY AT $5.00 TO $6.00 ACCORDING TO WEIGHT.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS SLOW, WEAK TO 10-15¢ LOWER; SHE STOCK AND BULLS ABOUT STEADY; VEALS WEAK TO $1.00 LOWER; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS VERY SCARCE, STEADY; FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.50-13.75; SEVERAL LOADS LIGHT STEERS AND YEARLINGS $13.85-14.00; ONE LOAD $14.40; HEIFERS $11.75-13.50; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00-11.00; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.75-8.00; MEDIUM BULLS $9.25-9.50; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $12.00; FEW UP TO $13.00, WITH ODD HEAD TO INDEPENDENTS $14.00.

HOGS: FULLY 25¢ LOWER; SLOW TO PACKERS; TOP $10.60 ON CHOICE 225#; BULK 180-250# $10.25-10.50; EARLY SALES 250-320# $10.00-10.35; FEW 140-180# SELECTIONS $9.50-10.35; PACKING SOWS $9.00-9.25; STAGS UP TO $9.50; FEEDER PIGS MOSTLY $9.50 AND DOWN.

SHEEP: SLOW, GENERALLY STEADY; FED WOOLED LAMBS $13.85 DOWN; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $12.25-12.75; NATIVE SPRING LAMBS $15.00; NO STRICTLY CHOICE CALIFORNIA SPRING LAMBS HERE; SHORN EWES $6.25 DOWN; TWO CARS CALIFORNIA FEEDING YEARLINGS $10.00; NO SALES FEEDING LAMBS.

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2:12 P.M.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, MONDAY, MAY 27, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

Cattle:- Strictly good and choice fed steers and yearlings steady, others predominating, steady to 25¢ lower; largely steer and yearling run; yearlings in very liberal supply; $15.00 paid for long yearlings; best weighty steers $14.50, some held around $15.00; bulk early sales $13.00 to $14.00, several loads $14.25 to $14.70; more replacement cattle in run; market slow, steady, mostly $11.50 to $13.00; heavy fat cows and heifers weak to 25¢ lower; light kinds getting best action; most low cutters $6.50 to $7.00; best weighty sausage beef and butcher bulls steady, mostly on shipper account; light and medium weight sausage bulls 10 to 15¢ lower; vealers about steady, with little done on kinds scaling 100-lbs. to 115-lbs., talking lower on such kinds; good 125 to 140-lb. vealers $13.00 to $14.00 to small killers; selected kinds up to $15.00.

Hogs:- Mostly 10 to 15¢ lower on hogs scaling under 240-lbs.; heavier weights 15 to 25¢ lower; light hogs active to shippers and small packers; heavy butchers slow; top $11.25 paid for an occasional load of around 200-lb. weights; bulk of better grade 160 to 230-lb. averages $10.90 to $11.15, several loads at $11.20; bulk of good and choice 240 to 280-lb. averages $10.75 to $11.00; few loads choice 290 to 320-lb. weights $10.65 to $10.80; bulk of desirable 130 to 150-lb. weights $10.65 to $11.10; pigs mostly $9.75 to $10.50; bulk packing sows $9.50 to $9.85.

Sheep:- Market opened active; later trade slow, mostly steady; some bids lower; good to choice 87-lb. wooled lambs $15.00; good to choice 90 to 95-lb. shorn lambs $12.75 to $13.00; 85 to 89-lb. $13.25; throwouts $9.00 to $10.25; 70 to 75-lb. California springers $16.25 to $16.50, throwouts $13.50; sheep steady, few fat ewes $7.25, good strong weights $6.00 to $6.50; feeding lambs nominal.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

Cattle:- Light weight steers and the better kinds light yearlings fairly active, steady to strong; indications around steady on weighty steers; better grades cows steady/ others slow; bulls steady to strong; vealers and calves strong to 50¢ higher; stockers and feeders very scarce, firm; one load strictly choice 929-lb. yearling steers $15.00; choice light weight Nebraska steers $14.10; mixed yearlings $14.25; yearling heifers $14.00; bulk fed steers and yearlings eligible to sell around $12.50 to $14.00; one load choice 1236-lb. cows $11.25; bulk butcher cows $8.50 to $10.50; all cutters $6.00 to $7.50; medium bulls $8.75 to $9.25; good to choice vealers $10.00 to $12.50, few $13.00; few stockers and feeders $11.75 to $13.25; choice 450-lb. short yearling stockers $14.50.

Hogs:- Very slow; early shipper trade 10 to 15¢ lower than Saturday's average; big packers inactive, talking lower; stock pigs steady to 10¢ lower; top $10.70 on choice 190 to 250-lbs.; desirable 170 to 250-lbs. mostly $10.55 to $10.70; few 270 to 300-lbs. $10.40 to $10.55; 140 to 160-lbs. $10.25 to $10.60; packing sows $9.00 to $9.50; stock pigs $9.75 to $10.65.

Sheep:- Lambs and spring lambs steady to strong; sheep about steady; top Arizona spring lambs $16.10, others $16.00; odd lots natives $14.25 to $15.00; shorn lambs $12.25 to $12.75; woolskins $13.50 to $13.85; two-year-old wethers $7.75; top ewes $6.00.

		NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30 A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HOGS:- (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded)					
Hvy. Wts. (250-350#)	Med-Ch	$10.60-11.05	$10.35-11.00	$10.10-10.70	$ 9.65-10.40
Med. Wts. (200-250#)	Med-Ch	10.75-11.15	10.60-11.25	10.35-10.70	10.00-10.60
Lt. Wts. (160-200#)	Med-Ch	10.65-11.15	10.15-11.25	10.35-10.70	9.75-10.60
Lt. Lts. (130-160#)	Med-Ch	10.25-11.10	10.00-11.20	10.00-10.60	9.35-10.35
Packing sows, smooth and rough		9.20- 9.70	9.35-10.10	8.75- 9.75	8.75- 9.40
Slaughter Pigs (90-130#)	Med-Ch	9.50-10.50	9.50-10.75	9.50-10.65	----------
Fdr & Stkr. Pigs (70-130#)	Med-Ch	9.25-10.50	----------	9.50-10.65	8.50- 9.75
Av. Cost & Wt. Sat. (Pigs Exc)		10.96-221#	10.88-252#	10.51-208#	10.39-254#
Av. Cost & Wt. Week. (Pigs Exc)		10.73-208#	10.77-239#	10.42-227#	10.32-254#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-					
Steers: (1500# up)	Gd-Ch	----------	13.00-14.60	----------	----------
Steers: (1300-1500#)	Choice	13.50-14.50	14.25-14.90	13.40-14.25	13.35-14.10
	Good	13.00-13.50	13.25-14.25	12.50-13.40	12.75-13.35
Steers: (1100-1300#)	Choice	13.50-14.50	14.25-15.00	13.40-14.25	13.50-14.35
	Good	13.00-13.50	13.50-14.25	12.75-13.65	12.75-13.50
Steers: (950-1100#)	Choice	14.00-14.75	14.50-15.00	13.65-14.75	13.65-14.50
	Good	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.50	12.75-13.75	12.75-13.65
Steers: (800# up)	Medium	12.00-13.00	12.25-13.50	11.50-12.75	11.75-12.75
	Common	9.50-12.00	11.00-12.50	9.50-11.50	9.50-11.75
Steers: (Fed calves and yearlings 750-950#)	Choice	14.00-14.75	14.50-15.00	13.75-15.00	13.65-14.60
	Good	13.00-14.00	13.50-14.50	12.75-13.75	12.75-13.65
Heifers: (850# dn)	Choice	13.50-14.25	14.00-14.75	12.75-14.25	13.00-14.00
	Good	12.25-13.50	13.00-14.00	11.75-13.00	11.75-13.00
	Com-Med	8.75-12.25	9.50-13.00	8.75-12.00	8.75-11.75
Heifers: (850# up)	Choice	11.75-13.75	12.50-14.50	11.75-13.50	11.50-13.50
	Good	11.00-13.00	11.50-14.00	10.75-12.75	10.75-12.75
	Medium	9.50-12.00	10.00-13.00	9.25-11.75	9.00-12.00
Cows:	Choice	11.00-11.75	11.00-12.00	10.75-12.00	11.00-12.00
	Good	10.00-11.00	9.50-11.50	9.50-10.75	9.50-11.00
	Com-Med	8.25-10.00	8.00- 9.75	7.75- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
	Low Cut-Cut	5.00- 8.25	6.50- 8.00	6.00-7.75	6.25- 8.25
Bulls: (Ylg. Exc. Beef.)	Gd-Ch	9.75-10.75	10.25-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
	Cut-Med	7.00- 9.75	8.00-10.25	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
Calves: (500# dn)	Med-Ch	9.50-13.00	9.50-12.50	9.00-13.00	9.00-12.50
	Cull-Com	6.50- 9.50	7.00- 9.50	6.00- 9.00	6.50- 9.00
Vealers: (Milk-Fed)	Gd-Ch	12.00-13.50	11.00-15.00	10.00-13.00	10.50-13.50
	Medium	9.50-12.00	9.50-11.00	8.50-10.00	9.00-10.50
	Cull-Com	6.00- 9.50	7.00- 9.50	6.00- 8.50	6.00- 9.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-					
Steers: (800# up)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.25	12.00-13.50
	Com-Med	8.50-11.50	9.75-12.25	9.25-12.00	9.75-12.00
Steers: (800# dn)	Gd-Ch	11.50-13.00	12.25-13.50	12.00-14.25	12.25-14.25
	Com-Med	8.00-11.50	9.75-12.25	9.00-12.00	9.50-12.25
Heifers:	Gd-Ch	10.50-11.50	10.50-12.00	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
	Com-Med	8.00-10.50	9.00-10.50	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
Cows:	Gd-Ch	8.25- 9.25	9.00- 9.50	8.00- 9.00	8.00- 9.00
	Com-Med	7.00- 8.25	8.25- 9.00	7.00- 8.00	6.75- 8.00
Calves: (Steers)	Gd-Ch	----------	----------	12.25-14.75	11.75-14.25
	Medium	----------	----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-		ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
Spring Lambs:	Gd-Ch	15.00-16.00	15.75-16.75	14.75-16.10	15.25-16.25
	Medium	13.75-15.00	14.75-15.75	13.50-14.75	14.25-15.25
	Cull-Com	10.50-13.75	12.50-14.75	10.25-13.50	12.75-14.25
Lambs: (84# dn)	Gd-Ch	12.25-13.00	12.60-13.50	11.75-12.75	12.50-12.90
(84-92#)	Gd-Ch	12.00-13.00	12.35-13.25	11.65-12.70	12.25-12.90
(92# dn)	Medium	10.75-12.25	11.50-12.60	10.75-11.75	11.50-12.50
(92-100#)	Med-Ch	10.75-12.75	11.25-13.10	10.50-12.50	11.50-12.75
(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	8.00-10.75	8.50-11.50	8.00-10.75	9.00-11.50
Yearling Wethers (110#dn)	Med-Ch	8.50-11.50	8.50-12.00	8.00-10.50	8.25-11.50
Ewes: (120# dn)	Med-Ch	4.75- 6.00	5.75- 7.60	4.50- 6.00	5.50- 6.25
(120-150#)	Med-Ch	4.75- 6.00	5.75- 7.35	4.25- 5.75	5.50- 6.00
(All Wts.)	Cull-Com	1.50- 4.75	2.50- 5.75	1.50- 4.50	1.50- 5.50

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-TUESDAY-MAY 28, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**3,000	**1,800	16,500	3,000
CHICAGO	9,000	3,000	28,000	14,000
KANSAS CITY	5,500	1,100	15,000	9,000
OMAHA	8,000	500	16,000	12,000
ST. JOSEPH	1,700	300	6,500	6,000
ST. PAUL	2,400	2,300	5,000	800
SIOUX CITY	3,000	200	9,500	3,500
CINCINNATI	250	350	2,500	225
INDIANAPOLIS	1,200	100	7,000	200
PITTSBURGH	30	170	600	250
BUFFALO	25	300	640	25
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	34,105	10,720	107,240	49,000
ONE WEEK AGO	31,375	10,675	94,250	42,750
ONE YEAR AGO	31,550	11,700	110,580	28,600
TO DATE THIS WEEK	85,605	24,170	269,740	105,525
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	83,450	27,100	217,230	105,625
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	81,900	28,650	276,230	66,400

**RUN INCLUDES 350 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 1,000 THROUGH; CHICAGO 2,000; KANSAS CITY 2,400; OMAHA 1,400; ST. JOSEPH 800; SIOUX CITY 300; ST. PAUL NONE.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-MONDAY, MAY 27, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	2,684	2,021	14,850	2,583
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	591	952	6,846	- - -
PACKER PURCHASES	1,284	1,055	5,615	2,420

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-TUESDAY-MAY 28, 1929.
(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P.M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 3,000, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 3,773 LAST TUESDAY, AND TOTAL UNLOADINGS OF 4,460 THE CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR.

THE SUPPLY OF STEERS HERE TODAY WAS MODERATELY LIBERAL, AND THE PERCENTAGE RELATIVE TO ENTIRE RUN WAS FAIRLY HIGH. QUALITY AND CONDITION WERE ABOVE THE AVERAGE ON THE WHOLE, RUNNING QUITE LARGELY TO GOOD GRADES, WITH NUMEROUS LOADS BORDERING ON AND EXTENDING UP INTO THE CHOICE CLASSIFICATION. ALL WEIGHTS WERE REPRESENTED, BUT KINDS ON THE YEARLING ORDER AND LIGHTWEIGHTS OUTNUMBERED THE MEDIUM AND HEAVYWEIGHT MATERIAL. SCALEWARD MOVEMENT ON STEERS, MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS WAS RATHER SLOW ABOUT GETTING STARTED AS SALESMEN HAD BOOSTED THEIR ASKING PRICES CONSIDERABLY, WHICH MET WITH RESISTANCE ON THE PART OF THE BUYERS. A RATHER COMPLETE CLEARANCE WAS EFFECTED, HOWEVER, WELL BEFORE THE NOON HOUR AT GENERALLY STEADY TO STRONG TERMS, WITH OCCASIONAL SPOTS IN THE TRADE SCORING SOME UPTURNS. IN THE MIXED YEARLING AND HEIFER DIVISION THERE WERE SEVERAL LOADS OF GOOD AND CHOICE GRADE YOUNGSTERS ON SALE, MOST OF THESE POSSESSING QUITE DESIRABLE WEIGHTS. THE MARKET ON ALL COWS AND CUTTERS WAS A RATHER ACTIVE AFFAIR AT FULLY STEADY TO STRONG PRICES, AND WITH SOME UNEVENNESS PRESENT A FEW ADDITIONAL UPTURNS WERE NOTED IN INSTANCES. ALL BULLS WERE SCARCE, AND FOLLOWED QUITE LARGELY THE PRICE TREND OF COWS. VEALER VALUES WERE BOOSTED 50¢, THE BULK OF THE CROP GOING ON SHIPPER ACCOUNT.

AMONG THE BEST STEERS WAS A THREE-CAR STRING ON THE YEARLING ORDER AVERAGING 964-LBS. WHICH PLACED THE TOP AT $14.60, WITH TWO CARS SCALING 1425-LBS., IN A HIGHLY FINISHED CONDITION, AT $14.40. A LOAD OF 1258-LB. AVERAGES, AND TWO LOADS OF 978-LB. WEIGHTS CASHED AT $14.20, WITH THE BULK OF ALL STEERS $13.00 TO $14.10, THE LATTER FIGURE REPRESENTING TWO CARS OF WEIGHTY STEERS, WHILE INCLUDED IN THE BULK WAS AN EIGHT-CAR STRING OF YEARLINGS AVERAGING 812-LBS. AT $13.90. A LOAD OF 600-LB. HEIFERS REACHED A TOP OF $14.25, THE BULK OF THE FAT MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS GOING AT $13.25 TO $14.00, TWO CARS OF LESS DESIRABLE HEIFERS TURNING AT $11.50. A FEW COWS REACHED $11.50 OR BETTER, THE MAJORITY CLEARING AT $8.75 TO $10.75, AND LOW CUTTERS LARGELY $6.00 TO $6.75. THE PRACTICAL TOP ON MEDIUM BULLS WAS $9.75, A FEW ON THE BUTCHER ORDER REGISTERING AT $10.00. GOOD AND CHOICE VEALERS WENT AT $14.00 FOR THE TOP AND BULK.

HOGS: INCREASING RECEIPTS AROUND THE MARKET CIRCUIT EXERTED SUFFICIENT PRESSURE TO AGAIN FORCE ALL HOG PRICES BELOW THE $11.00 LEVEL. LOCAL RECEIPTS WERE SUBSTANTIALLY LIGHTER THAN LAST TUESDAY, HOWEVER, AND WHILE THE LOSSES AT OTHER POINTS WERE REFLECTED HERE, DEMAND WAS SUFFICIENT TO EFFECT A GOOD CLEARANCE AND FAIRLY ACTIVE CLOSE TO ALL INTERESTS. TRADE OPENED TO BUTCHERS AND SHIPPERS GENERALLY 10 TO 20¢ UNDER THE AVERAGE OF MONDAY WITH PACKERS LATER ENTERING THE MARKET ON THE SAME BASIS. PIGS AND LIGHT LIGHTS SHARED THE DECLINES, THESE RULING WEAK TO 25¢ LOWER, WHILE PACKING SOW PRICES WERE REDUCED 10 TO 15¢. LOCAL RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 16,500 INCLUDING 1,000 BILLED THROUGH COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 22,582 LAST TUESDAY AND 17,892 A YEAR AGO.

TOP PRICE TODAY WAS $10.95 AND, WHILE VERY HARD TO OBTAIN DURING EARLY ROUNDS, WAS PAID QUITE FREELY AROUND MID-SESSION. MAJORITY OF 130 TO 240-LB. HOGS SOLD AT $10.85 TO $10.95, WITH $10.90 THE MOST POPULAR FIGURE. WEIGHTY HOGS WERE IN LIGHT SUPPLY. A FEW LOADS OF 240 TO 260-LB. BUTCHERS MOVED AT $10.75 TO $10.85, NO HEAVIER DESCRIPTIONS BEING HERE. MAJORITY OF 130 TO 150-LB. LIGHT LIGHTS CASHED AT $10.25 TO $10.75 ACCORDING TO WEIGHT. SLAUGHTER PIGS TURNED LARGELY AT $9.75 TO $10.25, LOWER GRADE LIGHT PIGS UNDER THE LOWER FIGURE. MOST PACKING SOWS SCORED $9.50, A FEW SMOOTH SOWS ON THE BUTCHER ORDER SELLING UP TO $9.60, AND OCCASIONAL LOTS OF LESS DESIRABLE KINDS DOWN TO $9.40 AND UNDER.

SHEEP: SHEEP AND LAMB RECEIPTS TODAY WERE ESTIMATED AT 3,000 HEAD INCLUDING AROUND 800 HEAD BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 2,598 LAST TUESDAY AND 4,395 CORRESPONDING DAY LAST YEAR. SUPPLIES AT ELEVEN MARKETS REPORTED A SLIGHT INCREASE COMPARED WITH A WEEK AGO AND DRESSED LAMB TRADE IN THE EAST CONTINUED DRAGGY AND WEAK. THIS GAVE ALL BUYING INTERESTS A BASIS FOR CHEAPENING COSTS AND ALL LAMBS AND SPRING LAMBS DROPPED ABOUT 25¢. SHEEP WERE SCARCE AND REMAINED UNCHANGED. PACKERS PAID $12.75 FOR A DECK OF CHOICE 86-LB. CLIPPED LAMBS, TWO DECKS EARNING $12.50. A LOAD OF MEDIUM GRADES SCORED $12.00 AND CULLS WERE REMOVED AT $8.00 TO $9.00 MOSTLY. PACKERS PAID $15.00 TO $15.25 FOR GOOD SPRING LAMBS, LATTER PRICE TAKING THE MAJORITY. CITY BUTCHERS TOOK OCCASIONAL SMALL LOTS OF CHOICE GRADES AT $15.50 AND $15.75. CULLS WERE REMOVED AT $11.00 MOSTLY, A FEW UP TO $11.50. SHORN EWES CONTINUED TO MOVE AT $5.00 TO $6.00 ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY. NOT ENOUGH YEARLINGS OR AGED WETHERS WERE OFFERED ON WHICH TO QUOTE TRENDS.

OMAHA MARKET-11:00 A. M.

CATTLE: FED STEERS & YLGS. FULLY STEADY, SPOTSSTRONGER; SHIPPING DEMAND BROAD; SHE STOCK & BULLS STEADY; VEALS STRONG; STOCKERS & FEEDERS SCARCE; FED STEERS & YLGS. $12.75-14.00; MIXED YLGS. $14.00; LIGHT STEERS $14.10-14.25; 1250# $14.40; 1070-LB. $14.50; HEIFERS $11.75-13.50; COWS $9.00-11.00; ALL CUTTERS $6.75-8.00; LOW CUTTERS $6.50; BULLS $9.00-9.75; VEALS $13.00; CALVES $11.50-12.50.

HOGS: ACTIVE; MEDIUM & LIGHT HOGS 10-15¢ LOWER; STRONG WGT. BUTCHERS GENERALLY STEADY; TOP $10.40; 180-240# $10.10-10.35; 240-280# $10.00-10.25; 280-350# $9.75-10.00; 140-180# $9.50-10.25; PACKING SOWS $8.75-9.00; FEEDER PIGS $9.50 AND DOWN.

SHEEP: LAMBS MOSTLY 25¢ LOWER; SHEEP STEADY TO 25¢ HIGHER; FEEDERS STEADY; CALIF. SPRING LAMBS $14.85-15.75; FED WOOLED LAMBS $13.25-13.75; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $12.00-$12.50; SHORN EWES $6.50 DOWN; CALIFORNIA FEEDING LAMBS $13.40-13.50.

5-28-29ACA2:05 P.M.

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-:DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, TUESDAY, MAY 28, 1929:-

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS UNEVEN, MOSTLY STEADY; FULLY STEADY ON BETTER GRADES; EARLY TOP LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEIGHT STEERS $14.50; YEARLING HEIFERS $14.25, SOME HELD HIGHER, MOST EARLY SALES $13.00 TO $14.00; STOCKERS SCARCE, MOSTLY $11.50 TO $13.00; BETTER GRADE LIGHT OFFERINGS IN BROADEST DEMAND; COWS SCARCE BUT VERY SLOW, UNDERTONE WEAK TO LOWER; BULLS ABOUT 15 TO 25¢ OFF FOR WEEK TO DATE; VERY FEW WEIGHTY SAUSAGE BULLS ABOVE $10.00; VEALERS 50¢ TO $1.00 HIGHER, MOST LIGHT OFFERINGS $12.00 TO $14.00; SMALL KILLERS AND SHIPPERS $14.25 TO $15.00, FEW SELECTED LOTS $15.50.

HOGS:- MOSTLY 25 TO 30¢ LOWER; FAIRLY ACTIVE ON HOGS SCALING UNDER 240-LBS.; HEAVIER WEIGHTS SLOW; TOP $10.90 PAID FOR A FEW LOADS OF 170 TO 210-LB. WEIGHTS; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 160 TO 230-LB. AVERAGES $10.65 TO $10.85; 240 TO 260-LB. WEIGHTS MOSTLY $10.45 TO $10.65; BIDDING $10.35 ON CHOICE AROUND 300-LB. WEIGHTS; BULK OF DESIRABLE 130 TO 150-LB. AVERAGES $10.35 TO $10.85; PIGS MOSTLY $9.50 TO $10.35; CHOICE 130-LB. WEIGHTS AT $10.50; BULK PACKING SOWS $9.20 TO $9.40, SMOOTH LIGHT WEIGHTS UP TO $9.60.

SHEEP:- MARKET OPENING VERY SLOW; FEW/EARLY SALES AROUND 25¢ LOWER THAN EARLY MONDAY; FEW GOOD TO CHOICE WOOLED LAMBS $14.75; GOOD TO CHOICE 87 TO 90-LB. SHORN KINDS $12.75 TO $13.00, FEW THROWOUTS $9.00 TO $10.25; NO CALIFORNIA SPRINGERS SOLD, FEW NATIVES STEADY AT $15.00 TO $16.25; SHEEP STRONG TO SHADE HIGHER; CHOICE CALIFORNIA EWES $7.75; SCATTERED LOTS NATIVES $6.00 TO $7.25; FEW BREEDING EWES $8.00 TO $10.00; FEEDING LAMBS NOMINAL.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE:- FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS MODERATELY ACTIVE, STEADY TO STRONG, SPOTS HIGHER ON CHOICE OFFERINGS; WATER FILLS LIBERAL; SLAUGHTER COWS STEADY; BULLS STEADY TO STRONG; VEALERS AND CALVES UNEVEN, MOSTLY STEADY; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS VERY SCARCE; CHOICE 1206-LB. STEERS $14.75; CHOICE YEARLINGS $14.50, SAME PRICE FOR SHORT LOAD YEARLING HEIFERS; BULK DESIRABLE FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.75 TO $14.25; WEIGHTY STEERS SCARCE, FEW LOADS OFF QUALITY LIGHT WEIGHT STEERS AROUND $12.00 AND BELOW; BULK BUTCHER COWS $8.50 TO $10.50; MEDIUM BULLS $8.75 TO $9.50; GOOD TO CHOICE VEALERS $10.00 TO $13.00, FEW SELECTED KINDS $13.50.

HOGS:- EARLY SALES TO SHIPPERS MOSTLY 10 TO 15¢ LOWER THAN MONDAY'S AVERAGE; LATER TRADE VERY SLOW; BIG PACKERS INACTIVE; STOCK PIGS STEADY; TOP $10.50 ON CHOICE 190 TO 230-LBS.; BULK EARLY SALES 170 TO 250-LBS. $10.40 TO $10.50; 140 TO 160-LBS. $10.00 TO $10.40; FEW 260 TO 300-LB. BUTCHERS $10.20 TO $10.40; PACKING SOWS $8.75 TO $9.50; STOCK PIGS $9.50 TO $10.50.

SHEEP:- LAMBS AND SPRING LAMBS UNEVEN, MOSTLY 25 TO 50¢ LOWER; SHEEP STEADY; TOP ARIZONA SPRING LAMBS $15.85, OTHERS $15.65 AND $15.75; SHORN LAMBS $12.00 TO $12.40; WOOLSKINS $13.00; TWO-YEAR-OLD WETHERS $7.75 TO $8.25; AGED WETHERS $7.25; TOP EWES $6.00.

HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30A.M.	KANSAS CITY 1:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$10.45-10.85	$10.00-10.65	$ 9.85-10.40	$ 9.50-10.25
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	10.60-10.95	10.25-10.90	10.10-10.50	9.85-10.40
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	10.50-10.95	10.00-10.90	10.15-10.50	9.65-10.40
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.00-10.90	9.75-10.85	9.85-10.40	9.25-10.15
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.10- 9.60	9.00- 9.65	8.50- 9.50	8.50- 9.25
SLAUGHTER PIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	9.50-10.25	9.25-10.50	9.50-10.65	----------
FDR & STKR. PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	9.25-10.25	----------	9.50-10.65	8.50- 9.75
AV. COST & WT. MON. (PIGS EXC)			10.87-203#	10.76-235#	10.44-222#	10.11-250#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	----------	13.25-14.75	----------	----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.50	14.50-15.00	13.50-14.25	13.50-14.25
		GOOD	13.00-13.75	13.35-14.50	12.65-13.50	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.75	14.50-15.00	13.50-14.75	13.50-14.50
		GOOD	13.25-13.75	13.50-14.50	12.75-13.75	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	14.00-14.75	14.50-15.00	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.60
		GOOD	13.25-14.25	13.50-14.50	12.85-13.75	12.75-13.75
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	12.00-13.25	12.25-13.50	11.50-12.85	11.75-12.75
		COMMON	9.75-12.00	11.00-12.50	9.50-11.50	9.50-11.75
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	14.25-15.00	14.50-15.00	13.75-15.00	13.65-14.60
		GOOD	13.25-14.25	13.50-14.50	12.85-13.75	12.75-13.65
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	13.75-14.50	14.00-14.75	13.00-14.50	13.00-14.00
		GOOD	12.50-13.75	13.00-14.00	11.75-13.25	11.75-13.00
		COM-MED	9.00-12.50	9.50-13.00	8.75-12.00	8.75-11.75
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	12.00-14.00	12.25-14.50	11.75-13.75	11.50-13.50
		GOOD	11.00-13.25	11.50-14.00	10.75-13.00	10.75-12.75
		MEDIUM	9.50-12.25	10.00-13.00	9.25-11.75	9.00-12.00
COWS:		CHOICE	11.25-12.00	11.00-12.00	10.75-12.00	11.00-12.00
		GOOD	10.25-11.25	9.50-11.50	9.50-10.75	9.50-11.00
		COM-MED.	8.50-10.25	8.00- 9.75	7.75- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
		LOWCUT-CUT	5.25- 8.50	6.50- 8.00	6.00- 7.75	6.25- 8.25
BULLS: (YLG.EXC.BEEF.)		GD-CH	9.75-10.75	10.25-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		CUT-MED	7.00- 9.75	8.00-10.25	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	9.50-13.00	9.50-12.50	9.00-13.00	9.00-12.50
		CULL-COM	6.50- 9.50	7.00- 9.50	6.00- 9.00	6.50- 9.00
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	12.50-14.00	12.00-15.50	10.00-13.50	10.50-13.50
		MEDIUM	10.00-12.50	9.50-12.00	8.50-10.00	9.00-10.50
		CULL-COM	6.00-10.00	7.00- 9.50	6.00- 8.50	6.00- 9.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.25	12.00-13.50
		COM-MED	8.50-11.50	9.75-12.25	9.25-12.00	9.75-12.00
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	12.25-13.50	12.00-14.25	12.25-14.25
		COM-MED	8.00-11.50	9.75-12.25	9.00-12.00	9.50-12.25
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	10.50-11.50	10.50-12.00	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		COM-MED	8.00-10.50	9.00-10.50	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
COWS:		GD-CH	8.25- 9.25	9.00- 9.50	8.00- 9.00	8.00- 9.00
		COM-MED	7.00- 8.25	8.25- 9.00	7.00- 8.00	6.75- 8.00
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	----------	----------	12.25-14.75	11.75-14.25
		MEDIUM	----------	----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-			ALL SHEEP QUOTATIONS ON SHORN BASIS.			
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	14.75-15.75	15.50-16.50	14.25-15.85	15.00-16.00
		MEDIUM	13.50-14.75	14.50-15.50	13.00-14.25	14.00-15.00
		CULL-COM	10.50-13.50	12.50-14.50	10.00-13.00	12.50-14.00
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	12.00-12.75	12.50-13.25	11.50-12.50	12.25-12.50
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	11.75-12.75	12.25-13.10	11.40-12.40	12.00-12.50
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	10.75-12.00	11.25-12.50	10.50-11.50	11.50-12.25
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	10.75-12.50	11.00-13.00	10.25-12.25	11.50-12.40
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	8.00-10.75	8.50-11.25	8.00-10.50	9.00-11.50
YEARLING WETHERS	(110# DN)	MED-CH	8.25-11.25	8.25-11.75	8.00-10.25	5.50- 6.50
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	4.75- 6.00	6.00- 7.75	4.50- 6.00	5.50- 6.25
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	4.75- 6.00	6.00- 7.60	4.25- 5.75	5.50- 6.25
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	1.50- 4.75	2.50- 6.00	1.50- 4.50	1.50- 5.50

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NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILLINOIS.

DAILY REPORT OF LIVESTOCK MARKET-WEDNESDAY-MAY 29, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS	**2,000	**1,500	14,000	2,000
CHICAGO	8,000	3,000	20,000	13,000
KANSAS CITY	5,000	1,000	10,000	5,000
OMAHA	5,000	300	10,500	8,000
ST. JOSEPH	2,500	500	7,500	4,500
ST. PAUL	2,700	3,300	11,000	600
SIOUX CITY	1,000	200	4,000	3,000
CINCINNATI	225	475	2,500	550
INDIANAPOLIS	1,200	700	8,000	200
PITTSBURGH	- -	150	1,050	300
BUFFALO	125	75	640	50
TOTAL 11 MARKETS	27,750	11,200	89,190	37,200
ONE WEEK AGO	27,475	10,525	95,930	41,450
ONE YEAR AGO	H O	L I	D A	Y
TO DATE THIS WEEK	113,355	35,370	358,930	142,725
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK	110,925	37,625	313,160	147,075
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	H O	L I	D A	Y

**RUN INCLUDES 400 CATTLE AND CALVES ON THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLING. TODAY'S ESTIMATED HOG RECEIPTS INCLUDE ESTIMATED UNLOADS OF THROUGH AND DIRECT BILLED HOGS AS FOLLOWS: NATIONAL STOCK YARDS 1,000 THROUGH AND 1,500 DIRECT; CHICAGO 5,000; KANSAS CITY 1,000; OMAHA 1,200; ST. JOSEPH 800; SIOUX CITY NONE; ST. PAUL 120.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND PACKER PURCHASES-TUESDAY-MAY 28, 1929.

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
ACTUAL RECEIPTS	2,436	1,761	15,427	3,905
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	712	575	7,976	428
PACKER PURCHASES	2,037	1,020	6,079	2,814

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS LIVESTOCK MARKET-WEDNESDAY-MAY 29, 1929.

(BASED ON MARKET CONDITIONS AND SALES REPORTED UP TO 1:00 P.M.)

CATTLE: RECEIPTS OF CATTLE WERE ESTIMATED AT 2,000 TODAY, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL ARRIVALS OF 3,007 LAST WEDNESDAY, WITH NO COMPARISON FOR A YEAR AGO TODAY ON ACCOUNT OF HOLIDAY.

SUPPLIES WERE LIGHT IN ALL BRANCHES OF THE CATTLE DIVISION AND EXCEPTIONALLY SO ON STEER OFFERINGS ALTHOUGH BULLOCKS OF ALL WEIGHTS WERE ON HAND, AND MOSTLY IN A MEDIUM AND GOOD CONDITION. SCALEWARD MOVEMENT STARTED FAIRLY EARLY, REFLECTING THE ACTIVITY ON THESE AT FULLY STEADY TO STRONG PRICES. VERY LIGHT MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS WERE IN GOOD DEMAND AND SOLD READILY AT STRONGER TERMS, BUT OTHERS, DISPLAYING MORE WEIGHT, WERE SLOWER TO EXCHANGE OWNERSHIP AT ABOUT STEADY FIGURES. A BROAD DEMAND FOR THE SMALL CROP OF COWS AND ALL CUTTERS MADE FOR AN ACTIVE TURNOVER ON THESE, WITH VALUES RULING STEADY TO STRONG. MEDIUM BULLS WERE LIMITED, BUT PRACTICALLY NO CHANGE WAS REGISTERED. VEALERS IN A CLASS BY THEMSELVES SLUMPED TO THE EXTENT OF 25¢ GOING QUITE LARGELY ON SHIPPER ACCOUNT.

TWO LOADS OF 1183-LB. STEERS WERE SUFFICIENTLY WELL FINISHED TO COMMAND A TOP OF $14.25, OTHER SALES BEING CONFINED QUITE LARGELY BETWEEN $12.60 AND $13.75, AND AMONG THESE WERE TWO LOADS OF WEIGHTY STEERS SCALING 1352-LBS. AT $13.65. TWO LOADS OF CHOICE 667-LB. HEIFERS PLACED THE TOP ON THIS CLASS AT $14.35, WITH OTHER LOADS OF FAT MIXED YEARLINGS AND HEIFERS DOWNWARD TO $13.50, SOME ODD LOTS OF MEDIUM GRADES AT $12.25 OR BELOW. THE MAJORITY OF COWS WERE OF A KIND TO CLEAR AT $9.00 TO $10.75, DESIRABLE LOW CUTTERS LARGELY $6.00 TO $6.75, AND CUTTERS UPWARD TO $8.25. THE PRACTICAL TOP ON MEDIUM BULLS WAS CONSIDERED $9.75, WHILE VEALERS BROUGHT $13.75 FOR THE TOP AND BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE MATERIAL.

HOGS: SHIPPING DEMAND WAS LIMITED IN THE HOG YARDS TODAY AND SOME UNEVENNESS DEVELOPED. OPENING SALES WERE MADE ON A STEADY TO STRONG BASIS WITH A TOP PRICE A NICKEL ABOVE THE BEST SOLD YESTERDAY. THIS STRENGTH LASTED FOR BUT A SHORT TIME AND MOST OF THE LIGHT WEIGHT HOGS SOLD STEADY WITH TUESDAY, MANY WEIGHTIER HOGS WEAK TO 10¢ LOWER, SPOTS OFF MORE. ALL INTERESTS WERE OPERATING AROUND MID-SESSION AND A GOOD CLEARANCE WAS EFFECTED THOUGH THE CLOSE WAS RATHER SLOW. PIGS SOLD MOSTLY STEADY WITH LIGHT LIGHTS RULING STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER. RECEIPTS HERE WERE ESTIMATED AT 14,000 INCLUDING 2,500 BILLED THROUGH AND DIRECT COMPARED WITH 17,003 LAST WEDNESDAY. SAME DAY A YEAR AGO WAS OBSERVED AS A HOLIDAY.

MAJORITY OF 160 TO 220-LB. HOGS SOLD AT $10.85 TO $10.90, LATTER PRICE TAKING CONSIDERABLY MORE THAN THE LOWER FIGURE. AN OCCASIONAL LOAD EARNED $10.95 EARLY, AND TWO LOADS OF CHOICE HOGS WENT TO TRADERS AT $11.00, THE DAY'S TOP. SEVERAL LOADS OF 230 TO 265-LB. WEIGHTS MOVED AT $10.70 TO $10.80, A SHORT LOAD OF 310-LB. BUTCHERS CASHING AT $10.50. MOST 130 TO 150-LB. LIGHT LIGHTS CLEARED AT $10.25 TO $10.50, THOUGH CHOICE ONE FIFTIES ARE ELIGIBLE TO MORE MONEY. SLAUGHTER PIGS SOLD LARGELY AT $9.75 TO $10.25 WITH LIGHTER WEIGHT KINDS DOWN TO $9.50 AND UNDER. PACKING SOWS BULKED AT $9.40 TO $9.50.

SHEEP: SHEEP AND LAMB RECEIPTS WERE ESTIMATED AT 2,000 HEAD, ABOUT A THIRD OF WHICH WERE BILLED DIRECT, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL MARKETINGS OF 1,894 A WEEK AGO. PACKERS WERE BEARISH TODAY AND THE GENERAL MARKET ON ALL LAMBS RULED STEADY TO 25¢ LOWER, SHEEP CONTINUING TO BE OFFERED IN LIGHT SUPPLY AND SELLING STEADY. PACKERS BOUGHT MOST OF THE GOOD SPRING LAMBS AT $15.00 WITH LESS DESIRABLE KINDS AT $14.50 AND $14.75. CITY BUTCHERS TOOK A FEW LOTS OF CHOICE LAMBS UP TO $15.50 AND LATER PACKERS BOUGHT ABOUT A DECK OF CHOICE SHOW LAMBS AT THE SAME FIGURE, A FEW SMALL LOTS OF SPECIALTIES SELLING UP TO $16.00 AND $16.25. CULLS WERE REMOVED GENERALLY AT $11.00, SOME BETTER DESCRIPTIONS UP TO $11.50. ONLY ONE FULL DECK OF CLIPPED LAMBS ARRIVED, THESE GRADING GOOD AND SELLING AT $12.25, CULLS BEING SALABLE AROUND $8.00 TO $9.00. SHORN EWES WENT TO PACKERS AT $5.00 TO $6.00 ACCORDING TO WEIGHT AND QUALITY. NOT ENOUGH YEARLINGS OR AGED WETHERS ARRIVED TO QUOTE.

OMAHA MARKET - 11:00 A.M.

CATTLE: BETTER GRADE FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS ACTIVE, STRONG TO 10-15¢ HIGHER; MEDIUM LIGHT OFFERINGS SLOW, STEADY; OTHER KILLING CLASSES FULLY STEADY; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS SCARCE; FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.75-14.00; SEVERAL LOADS LIGHT STEERS AND YEARLINGS $14.10-14.40; PART LOAD MIXED YEARLINGS $14.40; YEARLINGS AND LIGHT STEERS $14.50; PART LOADS YEARLINGS AND LIGHT STEERS $14.60; HEIFERS $11.75-13.50; FEW LOTS UP TO $14.00; BULK BEEF COWS $9.00-11.00; BULK ALL CUTTERS $6.75-8.00; MEDIUM BULLS $9.00-9.65; PRACTICAL TOP VEALS $13.00; ODD HEAD $13.50.

HOGS: FAIRLY ACTIVE, MOSTLY 10-15¢ HIGHER; SPOTS UP MORE ON WEIGHTY BUTCHERS; PRACTICAL TOP $10.55; BULK 190-260# WEIGHTS $10.25-10.50; BULK 260-340# BUTCHERS $10.00-10.35; ODD LOTS 140-190# SELECTIONS $9.50-10.50; PACKING SOWS 25¢ HIGHER AT $9.00-9.25; FEW UP TO $9.35; STAGS UP TO $9.50.

SHEEP: LAMBS 15-25¢ LOWER; SHEEP STEADY; FEEDERS 15-25¢ LOWER; CALIFORNIA SPRING LAMBS $14.50-15.50; NATIVES $14.75-15.35; MEDIUM GRADE WOOLED LAMBS $12.50; FED CLIPPED LAMBS $12.00-12.35; SHORN EWES $6.50 DOWN; CALIFORNIA FEEDERS $13.00-13.35.

STOCKER AND FEEDER SHIPMENTS FROM 12 MARKETS

	MAY 18 MAY 24 1929	MAY 11 MAY 17 1929	MAY 19 MAY 25 1928	PER CENT INCREASE OR DECREASE COMPARED CORR'D'G. PERIOD 1926-27-28.
CATTLE AND CALVES	34,205	46,577	28,331	24.4 INCREASE
HOGS	8,582	7,554	11,494	25.6 DECREASE
SHEEP	21,163	26,057	20,106	9.0 DECREASE

5-29-29ACA 1:40P.M.

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-: DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET CONDITIONS AND QUOTATIONS, WEDNESDAY, MAY 29, 1929: -

CHICAGO MARKET 10:30 A. M.

CATTLE:- BETTER GRADE FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS STRONG TO 25¢ HIGHER; STEERS OF VALUE TO SELL AT $14.00 UPWARDS SHOWING MOST ADVANCE; LOWER GRADES FULLY STEADY; STOCKERS AND FEEDERS ABOUT STEADY; SHE STOCK BARELY STEADY WITH CUTTERS AND COMMON COWS WEAK; BULLS STEADY WITH WEEK'S DECLINE; ONLY OUTSTANDINGLY HEAVY SAUSAGE BULLS BRINGING $10.25 ON SHIPPER ACCOUNT, OTHERS $9.00 TO $9.75, WITH CUTTERY KINDS DOWN TO $7.50 AND BELOW; BIDDING LOWER ON LIGHT VEALERS, PROSPECTS NEARLY STEADY, SHIPPERS UP TO $15.00; PROSPECTIVE BULK LIGHT VEAL CROP $12.00 TO $13.00; EXTREME TOP FED STEERS SCALING 1340-LBS. $15.10; SEVERAL LOADS $14.00 TO $14.75; 1370-LB. AVERAGES $14.50, BIG WEIGHTS $14.35, BULK $13.25 TO $14.25; LIGHT HEIFERS HELD AROUND $14.50, THAT PRICE HAVING BEEN PAID LATE TUESDAY.

HOGS:- SLOW, MOSTLY STEADY TO STRONG WITH TUESDAY'S AVERAGE ON HOGS SCALING UNDER 250-LBS.; HEAVIER WEIGHTS STRONG TO 10¢ HIGHER; TOP $10.90 PAID FOR HOGS SCALING FROM 155 TO 220-LBS.; BULK OF BETTER GRADE 160 TO 230-LB. AVERAGES $10.65 TO $10.85; 240 TO 290-LB. WEIGHTS $10.45 TO $10.65, STRICTLY CHOICE LOADS AT INSIDE WEIGHT UP TO $10.75; AROUND 310-LB. AVERAGES AT $10.40; BULK OF GOOD AND CHOICE 130 TO 150-LB. WEIGHTS $10.35 TO $10.85; PIGS MOSTLY $9.50 TO $10.25; BULK PACKING SOWS $9.15 TO $9.40, SMOOTH LIGHT WEIGHTS ON BUTCHER ORDER UP TO $9.60 AND ABOVE, THIN SOWS ON ROUGH ORDER AT $9.00 AND BELOW.

SHEEP:- MARKET MODERATELY ACTIVE, MOSTLY 25¢ LOWER; FOUR LOADS CHOICE 75-LB. IDAHO SPRINGERS $16.25 UNSORTED; SIX LOADS GOOD TO CHOICE CALIFORNIA SPRINGERS 25 PER CENT OUT $15.75, SCATTERED LOTS NATIVES $15.00 TO $16.00; FEW LOADS GOOD TO CHOICE 75-LB. WOOLSKINS $14.50; FEW LOADS CHOICE 82 TO 90-LB. SHORN LAMBS $12.75; SEVERAL LOADS GOOD TO CHOICE 87 TO 94-LB. WEIGHTS $12.00 TO $12.25, FEW THROWOUTS $9.00 TO $10.00; SHEEP AROUND STEADY; FEW NATIVE EWES $6.50 TO $7.00; NO FEEDING LAMBS SOLD EARLY.

KANSAS CITY MARKET 11:00 A. M.

CATTLE:- FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS GENERALLY STEADY; FAIRLY ACTIVE TRADE ON THE BETTER GRADES; SHE STOCK OPENING STEADY; LITTLE DONE ON A STRING OF SOUTH TEXAS COWS AND CALVES; BULLS SCARCE, STEADY; VEALERS UNCHANGED; NO STOCKERS AND FEEDERS OF CONSEQUENCE OFFERED; BULK DESIRABLE FED STEERS AND YEARLINGS $12.75 TO $14.25; FOUR LOADS CHOICE COLORADOS AVERAGING AROUND 1300-LBS. AT LATTER PRICE; CHOICE 660-LB. MIXED YEARLINGS $14.35; PART LOAD YEARLING STEERS $14.50; OFF QUALITY LIGHT WEIGHT STEERS DOWN TO $12.00 AND BELOW; BULK BUTCHER COWS $8.50 TO $10.50; MEDIUM BULLS $8.75 TO $9.50; GOOD TO CHOICE VEALERS $10.00 TO $13.00.

HOGS:- FAIRLY ACTIVE, UNEVEN, STRONG TO 15¢ HIGHER; MOSTLY 10¢ HIGHER THAN TUESDAY'S AVERAGE; STOCK PIGS STEADY; TOP $10.60 ON 190 TO 230-LBS.; BULK DESIRABLE 170 TO 260-LBS. $10.40 TO $10.55; 270 TO 325-LBS. $10.25 TO $10.40; 140 TO 150-LBS. $10.15 TO $10.45; PACKING SOWS $8.75 TO $9.40; STOCK PIGS $9.75 TO $10.50.

SHEEP:- LAMBS AND SPRING LAMBS 25 TO 50¢ LOWER; SHEEP STEADY; TOP ARIZONA SPRING LAMBS $15.50, OTHERS $15.35; TOP NATIVES $14.50; NO CHOICE SHORN LAMBS OFFERED, MOST SALES $11.00 TO $11.50; TWO-YEAR-OLD WETHERS $7.85 TO $8.25; AGED WETHERS $7.25.

			NAT'L.STK.YDS. CLOSE	CHICAGO 10:30A.M.	KANSAS CITY 11:00 A. M.	OMAHA 11:00 A. M.
HOGS:- (SOFT OR OILY HOGS AND ROASTING PIGS EXCLUDED)						
HVY. WTS.	(250-350#)	MED-CH	$10.40-10.80	$10.00-10.70	$10.00-10.50	$ 9.65-10.40
MED. WTS.	(200-250#)	MED-CH	10.60-10.90	10.25-10.90	10.20-10.60	10.00-10.55
LT. WTS.	(160-200#)	MED-CH	10.35-10.90	10.00-10.90	10.25-10.60	9.75-10.55
LT. LTS.	(130-160#)	MED-CH	10.00-10.90	9.75-10.90	9.85-10.50	9.35-10.35
PACKING SOWS, SMOOTH AND ROUGH			9.00- 9.50	9.00- 9.65	8.50- 9.50	8.75- 9.50
SLAUGHTER PIGS	(90-130#)	MED-CH	9.50-10.25	9.25-10.50	9.50-10.65	----------
FDR & STKR. PIGS	(70-130#)	MED-CH	9.25-10.25	----------	9.50-10.65	8.50- 9.75
AV. COST & WT. TUES. (PIGS EXC)			10.74-199#	10.51-240#	10.26-233#	10.04-256#
SLAUGHTER CATTLE, CALVES AND VEALERS:-						
STEERS:	(1500# UP)	GD-CH	----------	13.35-14.75	----------	----------
STEERS:	(1300-1500#)	CHOICE	13.75-14.50	14.65-15.00	13.50-14.25	13.50-14.25
		GOOD	13.00-13.75	13.50-14.65	12.65-13.50	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(1100-1300#)	CHOICE	14.00-14.75	14.65-15.25	13.50-14.75	13.50-14.60
		GOOD	13.25-14.00	13.65-14.65	12.75-13.75	12.75-13.50
STEERS:	(950-1100#)	CHOICE	14.00-14.75	14.65-15.25	13.75-14.75	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.25-14.25	13.75-14.65	12.85-13.75	12.75-13.75
STEERS:	(800# UP)	MEDIUM	12.00-13.25	12.25-13.75	11.50-12.85	11.75-12.75
		COMMON	9.75 -12.00	11.00-12.50	9.50-11.50	9.50-11.75
STEERS: (FED CALVES AND YEARLINGS 750-950#)		CHOICE	14.25-15.00	14.50-15.25	13.75-15.00	13.75-14.75
		GOOD	13.25-14.25	13.50-14.50	12.85-13.75	12.75-13.75
HEIFERS:	(850# DN)	CHOICE	13.75-14.50	14.00-14.75	13.00-14.50	13.25-14.25
		GOOD	12.50-13.75	13.00-14.00	11.75-13.25	11.75-13.25
		COM-MED	9.00-12.75	9.50-13.00	8.75-12.00	8.75-11.75
HEIFERS:	(850# UP)	CHOICE	12.00-14.00	12.25-14.50	11.75-13.75	11.50-13.50
		GOOD	11.00-13.25	11.50-14.00	10.75-13.00	10.75-12.75
		MEDIUM	9.50-12.25	10.00-13.00	9.25-11.75	9.00-12.00
COWS:		CHOICE	11.25-12.00	11.00-12.00	10.75-12.00	11.00-12.00
		GOOD	10.25-11.25	9.50-11.25	9.50-10.75	9.50-11.00
		COM-MED	8.50-10.25	8.00- 9.50	7.75- 9.50	8.25- 9.50
		LOW CUT-CUT	5.25- 8.50	6.25- 8.00	6.00- 7.75	6.25- 8.25
BULLS:	(YLG. EXC. BEEF.)	GD-CH	9.75-10.75	10.00-11.50	9.50-10.50	9.75-10.75
		CUT-MED	7.00- 9.75	7.75-10.25	7.50- 9.50	8.00- 9.75
CALVES:	(500# DN)	MED-CH	9.50-13.00	9.50-12.50	9.00-13.00	9.00-12.50
		CULL-COM	6.50- 9.50	7.00- 9.50	6.00- 9.00	6.50- 9.00
VEALERS:	(MILK-FED)	GD-CH	12.25-13.75	12.00-15.00	10.00-13.50	10.50-13.50
		MEDIUM	9.75-12.25	9.50-12.00	8.50-10.00	9.00-10.50
		CULL-COM	6.00- 9.75	7.00- 9.50	6.00- 8.50	6.00- 9.00
FEEDER AND STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES:-						
STEERS:	(800# UP)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	12.25-13.25	12.00-13.25	12.00-13.50
		COM-MED	8.50-11.50	9.75-12.25	9.25-12.00	9.75-12.00
STEERS:	(800# DN)	GD-CH	11.50-13.00	12.25-13.50	12.00-14.25	12.25-14.25
		COM-MED	8.00-11.50	9.75-12.25	9.00-12.00	9.50-12.25
HEIFERS:		GD-CH	10.50-11.50	10.50-12.00	10.50-12.00	9.75-11.50
		COM-MED	8.00-10.50	9.00-10.50	8.25-10.50	8.25- 9.75
COWS:		GD-CH	8.25- 9.25	9.00- 9.50	8.00- 9.00	8.00- 9.00
		COM-MED	7.00- 8.25	8.25- 9.00	7.00- 8.00	6.75- 8.00
CALVES:	(STEERS)	GD-CH	----------	----------	12.25-14.75	11.75-14.25
		MEDIUM	----------	----------	10.25-12.25	9.25-11.75
SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS:-						
SPRING LAMBS:		GD-CH	14.50-15.50	15.25-16.35	14.00-15.50	14.75-15.75
		MEDIUM	13.50-14.50	14.25-15.25	12.75-14.00	13.75-14.75
		CULL-COM	10.50-13.50	12.25-14.25	9.50-12.75	12.25-13.75
LAMBS:	(84# DN)	GD-CH	11.75-12.50	12.25-13.00	11.25-12.25	12.00-12.35
	(84-92#)	GD-CH	11.50-12.50	12.00-12.85	11.00-12.25	11.75-12.35
	(92# DN)	MEDIUM	10.50-11.75	11.00-12.25	10.00-11.25	11.25-12.00
	(92-100#)	MED-CH	10.50-12.25	10.75-12.65	10.00-12.00	11.25-12.15
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	8.00-10.50	8.25-11.00	8.00-10.00	8.75-11.25
YEARLING WETHERS	(110# DN)	MED-CH	8.00-11.00	8.00-11.50	8.00-10.25	8.25-11.50
EWES:	(120# DN)	MED-CH	4.75- 6.00	6.00- 7.75	4.50- 6.00	5.50- 6.50
	(120-150#)	MED-CH	4.75- 6.00	6.00- 7.60	4.25- 5.75	5.50- 6.25
	(ALL WTS.)	CULL-COM	1.50- 4.75	2.50- 6.00	1.50- 4.50	1.50- 5.50

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